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and tomorrow

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DEATH MYSTERY OF BALTIMORE MILLIONAIRE STIRS UP SOCIETY

HAD PAL'S WIFE AT PLEASURE RESORT

HUSBAND DID NOT KNOW COUPLE WERE TOGETHER

PRINCIPALS WILL NOT TALK

WOMAN SILENT BUT SAYS MAN WAS MASKED

SWEAT-BOX MAY SOLVE IT

Negro Attendant Said to Have Admitted Assailant Wore No Mask at All

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 28.—Chief of Police Woodruff hopes, before the day is over, by the sweating process, to get from Jesse Jackson, a negro chairman, the solution of the mystery of the shooting Tuesday of Charles B. Roberts the Baltimore millionaire and clubman, who was fatally shot while riding in a chair with Mrs. W. S. G. Williams of Baltimore, the wife of his best friend, last night.

With a bullet in his liver and his chances of recovery hourly fading, Roberts sticks to the story that he was shot by a masked highwayman. Mrs. Williams in the seclusion of her room, refuses to talk. Not the slightest clue is known of the whereabouts of the man who fired the shot.

Although Jackson corroborated the story of Roberts at first in the matter of the assailant being masked, he has weakened on this point, and the police hope to get an admission from him showing the man firing the shots was not only unmasked, but well dressed, giving no evidence of being a thug.

The shooting of Roberts occurred last night at 10:30. One ball penetrated his body and a second shot went wide of its mark and narrowly missed Mrs. Williams, who is a handsome Baltimore matron, 30 years old, of East Madison avenue, who was riding with him at the time of the tragedy.

Captain Tells of Shooting
When Captain of Detectives Richard Whalen appeared, he was given a detailed statement of how the attempt at murder occurred. It appeared to him that Roberts was trying to shield the criminal.

"As far as could be learned," the captain said, "Mr. Roberts had entertained Mrs. Williams at dinner in the grill. They afterwards hired an inclosed roller chair and were driving up the board walk toward the inlet. Mr. Roberts said that when they reached Rhode Island avenue a man emerged from the shadows of a building and pointing a gun at him demanded his money. Jumping from the roller chair, Roberts closed in with the man and in the melee, the revolver was fired twice.

Mrs. Roberts in Massachusetts
Mrs. Roberts, wife of the wounded man, is said to be in Magnolia, Mass., with their five children. She was Miss Sloan, daughter of a Baltimore lumber dealer. Her sister married the secretary of the Brazilian legation at Washington. Both were handsome girls. Mrs. Williams was spending part of the summer here. The shooting has caused a sensation in the Baltimore social colony here and tongues are wagging.

Mr. Roberts is 35 years old. He is a member of all the leading clubs of Maryland, including the Maryland club, the Baltimore Country club and Elk Ridge Hunt club.

Wife Arrives
Mrs. Roberts arrived today from New England, where she has been spending the summer with her children. She declared she could furnish no clue to the man attacking her husband. She is greatly wrought up over the occurrence and went immediately to the hospital where her husband is. In a statement today by Capt. Whalen, chief of detectives, he declared it appeared to him that an effort is being made to shield the culprit.

May Clear Up Mystery.
Although he is in a serious condition, the physicians attending Roberts say he will recover. It is understood the injured man gave the police information which may enable them to clear the mystery surrounding the shooting.

Mrs. Williams, who was in the rolling chair with Roberts, and the negro chairman were subjected to sharp cross-examination, and their stories agree on the details.

Mrs. Williams said that the man (Continued on Page Six.)

FLOOD TOTALS IS DISASTER RECORD

SIXTEEN LIVES LOST IN SOUTH-EAST TROUBLE

PROPERTY LOSS IS HEAVY

Amounts to \$750,000, of Which \$250,000 Is in Cities—Waters Now Receding

Total number of bodies recovered, 16.
Total damage estimated \$750,000. Damage city property, \$250,000. Damage street railroads, \$25,000. Damage telephone-telegraph companies, \$20,000. Damage merchants and local industries, \$150,000. Damage residents, \$50,000. Probable loss of wages to mill operatives, \$50,000. Loss by fire, \$50,000.

ANGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 28.—At 1 o'clock this afternoon sixteen dead bodies of the victims of the terrible flood were recovered. These included 5 whites and 11 negroes. Seven bodies of negroes were found on Fenwick street in one heap.

Early this morning the work of searching for dead bodies was begun and the indications are that the list will reach over 25. The city will be without light, water, telephone and street car service for at least another day. Offers of outside help have been coming in since the first telegraph wire was restored. The officials have not replied formally to any of these, but to reporters they said the city would need outside help, for the people have been thrown out of work by the stoppage of nearly all the industries, which without exception, received their power from the Burst canal.

Floods Recede
ATLANTA, Aug. 28.—The receding floods throughout Georgia and the Carolinas today reveal more fully the damage done. Reports are coming from all parts of the affected territory.

The loss of life is not yet fully determined, but it is believed to be not so great as first reported.

At Augusta the floods are receding and no further damage there is expected. The rains have ceased in the upper Savannah valley and the river at Augusta has begun to fall. The death list there includes about fifteen persons, mostly negro laborers.

The property loss in Augusta is estimated at \$1,000,000. Stocks in the stores were destroyed, the city bridge and the railroad bridge over the Savannah river were washed away. The greatest loss is in the rural districts. Partial reports from the farming sections show the crops were damaged in all parts of the state and in the river valleys were totally destroyed. An estimate of the loss has not been made.

TWO 'LARGE PARTIES' LEAVE HOT SPRINGS

HOT SPRINGS, Aug. 28.—The Hot Springs exodus begins tonight at 8:30. Two large parties leave at that time. One consists of candidate Taft. The other will be made up of his wife and son, Secretary Carpenter, Publicity Manager Karger, stenographers, clerks, messengers, golf sticks, phonograph records and a lot of other paraphernalia and impediments.

The Taft family and Carpenter will go directly to Middle Bass Island, where the candidate will try to catch fish, while the rest of the force will go immediately to the Taft headquarters at Sinton hotel, Cincinnati.

It was with undisguised grief that Taft rubbed the grass stains from his golf sticks, as he fears there will be no more golf for him this year.

Taft will practically make his home at Sinton hotel for a few weeks. An office suite of six rooms have been engaged on the eighth floor, while the living apartments will be on the seventh floor. Later in the campaign when the visiting delegations begin to arrive the candidate will remove to his brother's home.

WRIGHT TENNIS WINNER.
NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 28.—In the finals for all comers in the lawn tennis tournament today, Beals C. Wright defeated Fred K. B. Alexander in straight sets by the scores of 6-3 in each game. Wright will play W. A. Larned for the championship tomorrow.

HE LET THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG



BACKMAIL CHARGE COMPLETE FIZZLE

DUBUQUE LAWYER ACTED WITHIN THE LAW

DID NOT THREATEN B. F. FRY

Defense Finds it Unnecessary to Introduce Evidence and Muekel and Yunker are Freed

Yesterday afternoon the charge of blackmail preferred against Attorney Frank Muekel of Dubuque, Iowa, and Mr. F. C. Yunker, formerly of this city, was dismissed. The defense introduced no evidence whatever, but after hearing the charge and the grounds upon which it was based, Judge Brindley saw nothing upon which to hold the defendant.

In the evidence given by B. F. Fry, complainant, when on the witness stand, he admitted that he had given the "mysterious" cancer curing plaster to several people and admitted that he was to receive \$125.00 from Miss Lizzie Woods for his efforts in her case. He testified that the plaster ate the growth and then it was necessary to pare off the dead flesh with a knife. The ingredients of this plaster he absolutely refused to divulge.

The threats which Muekel was alleged to have made against Mr. Fry were nothing more than that he intended starting a civil suit for damages for the death of the Wood woman and in order to hold him he said he would have him arrested. He said, however, that if a settlement could be made, out of court, he thought that his client would consent to that. This was the "threat" made.

It also came out during the proceedings that Fry did not consent to take the case of the Wood woman "after much imploring" but that a cash deal was made. In order to prove this the name of Miss Bessie Martin was given as a witness who was at the house at the time of the transaction.

Fry testified to having received \$62.50 as a portion of his "fee" and was also paid the railroad fare used by him in his various trips to Dubuque. The notes that Fry alleged he was "forced" to sign were merely liabilities to the estate of Miss Wood and Attorney Muekel had taken Fry before Judge Brindley to sign the papers acknowledging the liabilities.

SHELL KILLS SAILORS
COPENHAGEN, Aug. 28.—Two men were killed and six dangerously wounded aboard the Danish cruiser Hekla today by the premature explosion of a shell.

ELEVEN PERISH IN BAD CLOUD BURST

CITY OF FOLSOM SWEEP BY RUSHING WATERS

EXTENT OF DAMAGE UNKNOWN

Ruin Began as Far Away as Denver—Searching Parties Seek Victims of Storm

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 28.—Eleven are known to be dead and many others are reported to have perished or were injured in a cloudburst which inundated Folsom, New Mexico, early today. Many houses were swept away, and reports say that all houses were damaged. Many persons living in the canyons above the city through which the floods swept, are believed to be lost. Searching parties have been formed.

The known dead are: R. B. Wenger, Mrs. R. B. Wenger, Miss Daisy Wenger, Miss Lucy Crighton, T. W. Wheeler, Mrs. T. Wheeler, three Wheeler children, Mrs. Locke, T. W. Wheeler's sister-in-law, whose name was unlearned.

Flood Reaches Denver.
DENVER, Aug. 28.—Reports from the vicinity of Folsom, N. Mex., where the cloudburst caused eleven deaths today, are meager, but show that immense damage has been done not only in the stricken town but as far north as Denver. A dozen bridges between here and Trinidad are reported washed out. Trinidad is virtually cut off from all outside rail communication.

Railroad Is Damaged.
The Colorado and Southern railroad suffered the greatest damage. The whole district south of here, which it traverses, has been flooded. The Santa Fe tracks between here and Lajunta are washed out, but the local officers of the road decline to give out information regarding the damage.

The Denver and Rio Grande which runs into the stricken district, has suspended operation of all trains.

WIDOW OF MOB VICTIM SUES
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 28.—Mrs. Scott Burton, wife of the first negro lynched by the recent mob, today filed a suit against the city for \$5,000 for the death of her husband, which the law allows survivors of the persons on whom the mobs wreaked their vengeance. The heirs of William Dunnegan, another of the lynched, also will sue. The heirs of the other four who were killed cannot sue because they were killed by stray bullets and were not lynched by a mob.

HAINS BOUND OVER FOR ANNIS MURDER

SHOWS NO INTEREST IN TRIAL OF HIS CASE

BUT HIS BROTHER IS ALERT

Captain From Rash Slaying of Wife's Defamer

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Captain Peter C. Hains, who shot and killed William Annis at the Bayside Yacht club August 15, and his brother, T. Jenkins Hains, the author, were bound over to the grand jury today without bail by Magistrate Gilroy, in the Long Island City police court.

The most startling evidence brought out at the hearing was the testimony of Charles H. Roberts, who said that immediately following the shooting, T. Jenkins Hains said to him that he was sorry his brother shot Annis; that he had tried to dissuade the captain from such a rash course, and only consented to accompany him when he found he could not be deterred. Roberts said he asked Jenkins Hains why he had drawn a revolver and threatened to shoot anyone interfering, to which Hains replied that it was to prevent further bloodshed.

Throughout the hearing Captain Hains, attired in civilian clothes, sat with his head resting in his manacled hands, looking about with a vacant, almost meaningless stare. He seemed to be taking no interest in the proceedings. Pale and excited, the brother however, was keenly alive to the situation, and frequently talked to his counsel. But three witnesses were examined, Charles H. Roberts, Charles Baker, the officer making the arrest, and Dr. Fye, coroner's physician who held the autopsy. Fye said he found twenty wounds of entrance and exit in Annis' body, and that nine bullets pierced the body.

General Peter S. Hains, the aged father of the prisoners, was present and clearly showed the effects of grief and mental strain he had endured.

SHIP AND 51 LOST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Dispatches received here today report the loss of the British steamer Dunearn with 51 members of the crew in a typhoon off the island of Port Gatu, China, Aug. 26. Only two members of the crew were saved.

WAS SHE THE SWEETHEART OR THE WIFE OF WILLIAM M. CODY?

BRYAN MAKES HIT IN KANSAS SPEECH

BANK GUARANTEE IDEA PLEASES THE FARMERS

ADDRESS GREAT CROWDS

Trip Proves Valuable From Political Standpoint Is Commoner's Opinion

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 28.—William J. Bryan closed a day crammed full of events by a speech on the guaranty of bank deposits tonight. Mr. Bryan made his address in the Auditorium to an audience that filled all available space in the building. Earlier in the day he made three talks in Topeka and one in Kansas City, Mo.

Added to this, whenever the democratic nominee was not talking publicly he was privately, for political leaders and admirers among the laymen occupied his attention at every place he showed himself.

Losses "Roll" in Transit.
Nor was this all. In the trip from St. Louis to Kansas City Mr. Bryan lost his pocketbook. It contained absolutely every dollar the nominee had with him. When he arrived at the Baltimore hotel in Kansas City the Nebraska discovered he was "broke." A porter found the money and Mr. Bryan got it back.

The fact that the republican state convention had passed a resolution endorsing the guaranty of deposits since he prepared his address on the subject led Mr. Bryan to supplement his regular speech.

The candidate and his party arrived in Topeka at 1 o'clock and were taken in hand by a reception committee composed of leading democrats of the city and state and conducted to the hotel in automobiles. A great crowd greeted Mr. Bryan at the station and at the hotel.

During the afternoon he delivered three addresses, two from the veranda of the hotel and the third at Garfield park, where he attended a picnic by the Knights of Pythias and spoke upon the subject "Fraternity."

Lauds New State's Measure.
In his address urging the desirability of a national guaranty of bank deposits last night, Mr. Bryan drew a picture of the benefits as he saw them of the Oklahoma state law. He chose Kansas as the place to tell all about the proposed legislation, he said, because Kansas is a neighbor to the commonwealth where the benefits of the scheme have been given a test.

"Oklahoma's plan," said Mr. Bryan, "has been so successful that deposits have been drawn across the line from your state into Oklahoma. This invasion was so alarming that your governor urged the passage of a law similar to Oklahoma's. The influence of the large banks was sufficient to defeat it."

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EVELYN IS UNKNOWN IN FORMER HAUNTS, A NERVOUS WRECK NOW

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Had Evelyn Thaw taken the veil, her effacement from Broadway studios and tenderloin restaurants, where she has been a familiar figure for the past few months, could not have been more complete than it is today.

Inquiry at the Sixty-first Street Sanitarium, where she is said to have gone following a financial and nervous breakdown, was productive of no information, and further inquiries among the former chorus girl-artist model's friends made it evident that they deem the rest and seclusion, which is said to have been forced on her, essential.

SHONTS AGAINST BRYAN

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—William J. Bryan got today what, in sportive circles, might be called a knockout from Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Chicago & Alton and the Clover Leaf railroads.

In a formal statement given to the public and addressed particularly to the railroad men of the country, he utterly repudiated the Nebraska as a presidential candidate.

WRECK KILLS TWO.

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 28.—A report was received here from Paris, Texas, which says the "Frisco" passenger train ran into a work train near there today. Engineer Ballard and Conductor Graham of the work train were killed and several passengers injured, none seriously.

MYSTERY SHROUDS RELATION OF GIRL

MYRTLE HAINES USED NAME OF DEAD TRAMP

SOUGHT HIM AS HUSBAND

NEWS OF HIS DEATH COMES AFTER HER DEPARTURE

Life Story of Journeyman-Printer Found Dead in Box Car Interwoven With that of Local Girl

Was William M. Cody, found dead in a freight car at Waukegan Wednesday, the sweetheart of Miss Myrtle Jones of La Crosse or her husband?

A telegram received by The Tribune stated William M. Cody had been found dead in a freight car near Waukegan, and letters found on the dead man indicated that Miss Myrtle Jones, 817 South Fifth street, La Crosse, was his sweetheart. The directory gives no such address, but at the home of Mrs. Abby Lowell, 815 South Fifth street, it was discovered that a Mrs. Myrtle Cody had roomed there at different times, but had moved to the home of Mrs. Chrisblawn, 408 Cameron avenue, some time ago.

Mrs. Chrisblawn was interviewed and it was ascertained that the mysterious woman left there last Sunday for Minneapolis with her mother, Mrs. Haines. While at the Chrisblawn home, where she had a room for about a month, she went under the name of Mrs. Myrtle Cody, and according to Mrs. Chrisblawn she had felt last Saturday for Minneapolis, but left no address. Before she left, however, she had tried in vain to locate Mr. Cody, having written several letters addressed to William M. Cody at various places, but the letters had been returned unopened.

"Yes, she had a room at my place," said Mrs. Chrisblawn. "She had a gentleman visit her considerably, whom she said was Mr. Cody, her husband, but I afterwards found this to be untrue, and ordered her from my house. When she left her mother, Mrs. Hainer, accompanied her and they had a small child."

Several parties who knew the mysterious Myrtle have been interviewed and it was found she has gone by the name of Myrtle Jones, Mrs. Myrtle Cody and Miss Haines. A number were of the opinion that she was only the sweetheart of William M. Cody while others say they were married.

Cody was found dead in a freight car near Waukegan Wednesday morning by another tramp who had shared the car with him. He was a native of Battle Creek and has a mother and sister at Detroit the former being Mrs. J. M. Hendricks, 685 Clark avenue, Detroit. He was a tourist-printer by trade.

Weather and Water



Coolest at La Crosse, 62; warmest, 84; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, 0. Warmest in U. S., 102 at Phoenix, Ariz.; coolest, Bismark, N. D., 42. The river will fall slightly.

Stage of water at La Crosse, 3.0 feet, a fall of .1; at Prairie du Chien, 3.2 a fall of .1.

Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday.

Minnesota—Partly cloudy with possibly local showers tonight and Saturday.

Iowa—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight in west portion.

Weather Conditions
Light showers have occurred from western Texas to western Kansas, in the Atlantic states and Oregon. Elsewhere the weather has been fair.

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HOESCHLER BROTHERS.
TWO STORES

American Association Games.

At Milwaukee. R H E
Kansas City . . . 200001010—4 9 2
Milwaukee . . . 000300000—7 2 2
Batteries: Dougherty and Beville; Swann and Crisp.

At Louisville. R H E

Louisville . . . 000300000—3 7 4
Toledo . . . 005200000—7 2 2
Batteries: Adams, Suthoff, Kaufman and Hughes; West and Abbott.

At Indianapolis. R H E

Indianapolis . . . 00000001*—1 3 0
Columbus . . . 000000000—0 3 0
Batteries: Siever and Livingston; Goodwin and Hames.

At Minneapolis. R H E

Minneapolis . . . 00010200*—3 8 3
St. Paul . . . 000000010—1 5 1
Batteries: Flene and Block; Theobald and Meyers.

"This," said Mr. Doolittle, "is the first season I have noticed that the women were wearing shredded wheat on their hats."—Kansas City Star.

Any woman will tell you that to suffer in silence takes all the pleasure from it.

SPORTING NOTES

VILLAGERS BEAT LOCAL LEAGUERS

'RUSTY' DODGE HAS NOT GROWN RUSTY ON GAME

LOCALS 100 BEHIND WAUSAU

Locals Seem to Have a Small Chance to Cop Pennant, but May Stick in Second Place

Games Today.
Wausau in Fond du Lac.
Oshkosh in Green Bay.
Rockford in La Crosse.
Freeport in Madison.

Club	Standings.	W.	L.	Pct.
Wausau	64	38	.628
La Crosse	56	50	.528
Madison	54	49	.524
Freeport	53	51	.510
Green Bay	52	52	.500
Fond du Lac	52	54	.491
Oshkosh	49	56	.462
Rockford	38	67	.362

The above schedule is the official standings of the clubs in the league at present, announced yesterday by President Moll at Milwaukee and while the protested games in which La Crosse and Wausau are interested are not decided in the standings, the protest, nevertheless, is still pending and a decision will probably be given by President Moll within a few days. The standings as announced give Wausau a lead over La Crosse of 100 points, and Madison is a close third, four points behind the Colts.

La Crosse Lose at Pardeeville.

PARDEVILLE, Wis., Aug. 28. — (Special.)—Robert Shaw, the star pitcher of this section of the state, had the goods with him yesterday, and sent the La Crosse team of the State league to defeat by the score of 9 to 7. Three pitchers were used by the leaguers, but they played a slow game and errors were conspicuous in the scoring. Baillies, whose home is in Pardeeville, where he holds the position as deputy sheriff, opened the game, but was retired in the fourth inning to give way for Flynn. "Rusty" Dodge, a former La Crosse player, was behind the bat for the locals and his work was fine. The La Crosse players were given a warm reception, especially Baillies. The score: R. H. E.
La Crosse . . . 7 9 3
Pardeeville . . . 9 11 1
Batteries: Robert Shaw and Dodge; Baillies and Killian.

LUMBERJACKS GET THE MOST HITS

Wausau under the direction of Manager Ferguson has so far won the distinction of leading the league with his team in the average number of runs each game and also the number of hits. During the past few weeks the Lumberjacks have been playing in batfests and has greatly advanced their team in the runs and hitting percent column. Manager Casebolt and the Senators are still the leaders in the team fielding in the league.

The average runs per game is as follows:

Games.	Runs.	Avg.
Wausau	104 404 3.80
La Crosse	106 332 3.21
Madison	102 332 3.25
Fond du Lac	102 328 3.18
Rockford	103 318 3.09
Oshkosh	104 306 2.94
Green Bay	103 274 2.66
Freeport	106 280 2.64

The batting average per game is as follows:

Games.	Hits.	Avg.
Wausau	104 787 7.57
Oshkosh	104 747 7.18
La Crosse	106 759 7.16
Fond du Lac	102 714 6.93
Madison	102 704 6.90
Oshkosh	103 683 6.63
Rockford	103 658 6.29
Freeport	106 614 5.79

The fielding for the respective teams follows:

PO.	A.	E.	Pct.
Madison	2,667	1,290 160 .961
Freeport	2,824	1,284 199 .954
La Crosse	2,854	1,247 191 .953
Wausau	2,828	1,347 214 .952
Oshkosh	2,741	1,490 219 .950
Green Bay	2,816	1,337 224 .949
Fond du Lac	2,796	1,403 259 .942
Rockford	2,714	1,327 252 .941

GOLFERS TO GO TO MADISON SATURDAY

The La Crosse golfers who played in the Brittingham-Hixon cup match with the Maple Leaf club here a couple of weeks ago, will go to Madison Saturday to play a return match. The La Crosse players won before.

American League Games.

At Boston, first game. R H E
St. Louis . . . 000000002—3 8 1
Boston . . . 010000000—1 6 3
Batteries: Bailey, Smith, Stevens; Young, Criger.

Second Game. R H E

St. Louis . . . 020000100—3 7 0
Boston . . . 000000100—1 3 1
Batteries: Dineen, Stevens; Cicotte, Morgan, Donohue, Criger.

Read The Tribune want ads.

CHICAGO CUBS TAKE GAME FROM GIANTS

CROWD OF 25,000 WITNESS GAME AT CHICAGO YESTERDAY

PITTSBURG BEATS PHILLIES

St. Louis Browns Take Double Header from Boston—Cardinals Lose to Brooklyn, Boston Defeats Reds

Games Today
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Kansas City in Milwaukee.
St. Paul in Minneapolis.
Columbus in Indianapolis.
Toledo in Louisville.

Club	Standings.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago in New York.			
St. Louis in Boston.			
Detroit in Philadelphia.			
Cleveland in Washington.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia in Pittsburgh.

Yesterday's Results

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Kansas City, 4; Milwaukee, 3.
Toledo, 7; Louisville, 3.
Minneapolis, 3; St. Paul, 1.
Indianapolis, 1; Columbus, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Louis, 3-3; Boston, 1-1.
Detroit-Philadelphia, rain.
Chicago-New York, rain.
Cleveland-Washington, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston, 7; Cincinnati, 4.
Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 1.
Chicago, 5; New York, 1.
Pittsburg, 4; Philadelphia, 3.

Club Standings.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
W. L. Pct.
Louisville . . . 77 55 .584
Indianapolis . . . 77 56 .579
Toledo . . . 75 56 .573
Columbus . . . 76 57 .571
Minneapolis . . . 67 64 .511
Kansas City . . . 62 72 .463
Milwaukee . . . 57 76 .429
St. Paul . . . 39 93 .295

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.
Detroit . . . 67 43 .609
St. Louis . . . 66 48 .579
Cleveland . . . 64 49 .566
Chicago . . . 63 50 .558
Philadelphia . . . 53 56 .486
Boston . . . 53 62 .461
Washington . . . 44 65 .404
New York . . . 37 74 .333

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.
New York . . . 69 43 .617
Pittsburg . . . 67 46 .593
Chicago . . . 68 47 .591
Philadelphia . . . 59 50 .541
Cincinnati . . . 56 59 .487
Boston . . . 50 63 .435
St. Louis . . . 42 71 .372
Brooklyn . . . 41 71 .366

A crowd estimated at 25,000 persons filled the grand stand at Chicago yesterday and witnessed the Chicago Cubs defeat their old time rivals, the New York Giants by the score of 5 to 1. The game was one of the most exciting that has been played in Chicago for some time and the interest in the present series is the greatest of the season, the pennant fight is gradually growing intense and much depends on the present series. Pittsburgh won from Philadelphia by the score of 4 to 3. Boston defeated the Cincinnati Reds and Brooklyn won from the St. Louis Cardinals. Konechky failed to connect with the ball at three times up. In the American league the St. Louis Browns took two games from Boston, both scores being 3 to 1. In the American association Kansas City defeated the Brewers by the score of 4 to 3. Toledo won from Louisville, Indianapolis shut out Columbus and Minneapolis defeated the Saints 3 to 1.

National League Games

At Chicago—R H E
New York . . . 000010000—1 9 2
Chicago . . . 00023000*—5 9 3
Batteries—Wiltse, Bresnahan; Pfeister, Kling.

At Pittsburgh—R H E

Philadelphia . . . 300000000—3 11 2
Pittsburg . . . 00130000*—4 8 2
Batteries—Sparks, Richie and Doolin; Wallis and Bibson.

At St. Louis—R H E

Brooklyn . . . 00001010—2 6 0
St. Louis . . . 000000001—1 6 1
Batteries—Wilhelm and Berger; Beebe and Ludwig.

At Cincinnati—R H E

Boston . . . 000301300—7 9 0
Cincinnati . . . 000210000—4 9 6
Batteries—Turkey and Graham; Spade, Volz and Schlei.

At Cincinnati—R H E

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BASE BALL!

LACROSSE-ROCKFORD

AUGUST 28, 29, 30

Games called at 3:30 p. m. on week days. 3:00 p. m. on Sundays.

WAUSAU THINKS PROTEST A JOKE

SAY BAKER WAS NOT TIED TO A HIGHER LEAGUE

NEITHER WILL THEY QUIT

Wausau Paper Slams Madison Writer for Insistence that La Crosse and Wausau will "Quit League"

Hotly does the Wausau Record-Herald come out and announce that the La Crosse team has protested the Wausau-La Crosse games of Saturday last. It is taken as a joke by the Lumberjack scribe, who lays the error to the La Crosse management through ignorance of the affairs. Anyway the matter is now in the hands of President Moll and it will be the decision of the president that will be accepted.

Wausau bases high hopes in the following, that is supposed to have been sent to President Moll:

"Baker was a member of the Duluth team in the Northern league. When that organization went to pieces he asked for and was given an unconditional release, leaving him a free agent to play where he pleased. The release was shown the local officers before he was allowed to play.

"He is not the property of any club, is not loaned or farmed and is not under suspension. There was no grounds whatever for the protest except an ignorance of the true conditions of the case by President Elliott of La Crosse, who wired to Hawley to make the protest."

As to Quitting League.

There seems to be a bilious sporting reporter in Madison who wants to see the two leaders, Wausau and La Crosse, "fired" from the league next year. Commenting upon this the Wausau Record-Herald says:

"There is a penny-a-liner down at Madison who aspires to lead and direct the affairs of the Wisconsin-Illinois league. On one or two occasions during the season he has popped up with a 'line of dope' which has made those who have a real interest in the affairs of the league smile, but the climax came Sunday when he in some manner secured space in the Milwaukee Sentinel for some of his alleged intelligence. Among other things he succeeded in saying at that time was the following:

"Already there is a movement on to reduce the league from eight to six clubs, or drop Wausau and La Crosse, the two northern towns and substitute two cities which will make the circuit more compact, thereby reducing traveling expenses. Which ever course is followed, it looks like a dead proposition that Wausau and La Crosse, which clubs are now fighting for first position, will have to go."

"All of which is respectfully denied. There has been no 'movement' except in the mind of the correspondent and from what information is at hand from Madison there are not a half dozen people in Madison who want to see Wausau and La Crosse out of the league."

"Wausau is going to win the pennant. There is no question now as to that. And it is further certain that Wausau is going to remain in the state league, this late comer to the contrary notwithstanding. And it can also be announced at this time that La Crosse is in the league to stay. If Madison wants to get out there will be no great grief and the remaining teams will see to it that the franchise goes where it will be appreciated and where patriotism and love of the great game itself will not be overshadowed and eclipsed by the desire for the 'filthy lucre.'"

"And all the time, while the Madison fans are considering these things, they can remember that Wausau and La Crosse are in the league to stay as long as there is a state league—this regardless of whether or not the team makes or loses money. Wausau loves the game, wants it and will pay for it. If Madison has not the same spirit it is time for that city to quit."

The dissatisfied voter had dropped out of his regular party and tried something else at the previous election. When he appeared to register for the next primary there was some hitch in the proceedings.

"Didn't you vote the prohibition ticket last time?" inquired the clerk.

"Yes," responded the voter, unabashed.

"How do you explain that?"

"Well, you see," he explained with charming frankness, "I was drunk at the time and didn't know what I was doing."

The clerk accepted the explanation as quite satisfactory and took him back into the fold again.—Lippincott's.

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HELEN MALONEY AND SAM. CLARKSON



PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 29.—Close upon the heels of the report that the international romance which has attracted the attention of three countries for some months was to be happily consummated in the marriage of Helen Maloney and Samuel Clarkson, a dashing Englishman, comes the rumor that the marriage is to be at some distant date or perhaps not at all. That is, provided Marquis Maloney can continue his successful endeavor to keep the youthful pair separated. At present the romantic daughter of the Philadelphia millionaire is held a virtual prisoner at his seaside home at Spring Lake.

It will be remembered that Helen Maloney eloped with Samuel Clarkson after what appeared to be, on the face of it, a marriage contract between herself and a Princeton student named Osborne. Later developments show this marriage was not legal and it was put aside.

Mrs. Maloney, it is reported, sides with the daughter, although to no such extent as to lend her consent to an elopement. The marquis, while willing to have his daughter marry Clarkson, refuses point blank to sanction this without the regular Catholic service. The Catholic church officials refuse to use undue haste in this matter. The priest in charge of the arch-episcopal residence smiled serenely when asked if the consent of the church would be given.

"Would the church go on in unseemly haste, do you think, to satisfy a girl's folly?" he replied. "The ecclesiastical court which is to take up the matter has not even been called yet. The examination will be long and it will be an ordeal. After that a second court will be called to pass upon the first, and after that



a third to pass upon the second. You see, she must wait, and even then one cannot tell what the answer will be. His grace has so told the marquis and he accepts it, as he should, and is willing to be patient."

It is said that the marquis has given up practically all attempts at business and is devoting himself to looking after his daughter. She says that she will marry Clarkson at the first opportunity. It is known Clarkson is in America and is endeavoring to get in communication with Miss Maloney. At the present time no visitor is allowed upon the Maloney estate unless he is closely questioned by men representing Mr. Maloney, and it is said that whenever Helen and her mother go to New York shopping they are always followed by a number of detectives in the employ of Mr. Maloney in order that a meeting between Clarkson and his sweetheart may not occur.

Surrounded by every luxury the heart could desire, this beautiful

girl is one of the most unhappy in the world, without the freedom to follow the dictates of her heart and guarded on every side she leads a most wretched life. Friends who know her say "that there is no telling what Helen will do. She is simply wild with it all. Anything may happen."

GENOA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox and Mrs. C. Ott returned home Thursday morning from Galena, Ill., where they had been visiting friends.

L. Gorman is having his house completed.

Frank Gould of Victory spent last Wednesday in town.

A ball game between Lansing and Genoa nines will be played here next Sunday, Aug. 30.

Mrs. Fred Rarher and sister, Miss Stein, were La Crosse visitors on Thursday.

Rev. Father Kremer returned home last Monday from Prairie du Chien, very much benefited in his health.

Mrs. Wm. Hutson and daughter are at La Crosse with her mother, Mrs. Powell, who is at the La Crosse hospital.

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3—Fri	6,371	18—Sat	6,329
4—Sat	6,400	19—Sunday	
5—Sunday		20—Mon	6,317
6—Mon	6,350	21—Tues	6,327
7—Tues	6,390	22—Wed	6,423
8—Wed	6,353	23—Thurs	6,475
9—Thurs	6,437	24—Fri	6,377
10—Fri	6,431	25—Sat	6,403
11—Sat	6,430	26—Sunday	
12—Sunday		27—Mon	6,347
13—Mon	6,377	28—Tues	6,329
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FRANK H. BURGESS.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirty-first day of July, 1908.
A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

LOOK WHAT "IKE" "DONE!"

The Free Press, Mr. Stephenson's stalwart newspaper, has loudly declared that the accusation that "Uncle Ike" is a corporation senator, is untrue. Stephenson's fight against La Follette when the latter was opposing the Aldrich bill, has been often cited as proof that Stephenson is a reactionary, and to this the Free Press has replied that President Roosevelt was in favor of the Aldrich bill. This is mere assumption, based upon the known fact that the president was determined that there should be financial legislation of some sort in the last session. That he was de-lighted with this particular bill is hardly possible, but the point is not important. Wisconsin was against it, and its aged junior senator voted for it.

But it is not necessary to base the assertion that the notoriously reactionary Stephenson was a stalwart in Washington upon his attitude toward the Aldrich bill. The Milwaukee Journal points to his vote on another subject, his stand relating to which proves conclusively that he was not only a pro-corporation senator, but that he is implicated in the most selfish of the enterprises of the predatory corporations. In offering this matter to readers we are moved by one purpose—to help save this state from further misrepresentation through bar politics. We stand for Hutton, because he is years ahead of any other republican senatorial candidate in experience, and because he is without dispute the best equipped for the office of any of them. But this is a don't-vote-for-Stephenson argument. No matter who you vote for, don't vote for Stephenson. If you are a progressive republican, you will not vote for Stephenson after reading this:

"Isaac Stephenson is convicted of voting in the United States senate against the interests of the people and in favor of the railroad and coal trusts.

"Neither Standard Oil Aldrich nor any other representative of trusts and monopoly could possibly have gone any farther to aid Special Privilege than Stephenson did. He went clear to the limit.

"The control and ownership of important industries by railroads themselves have been one of the most important factors in race discriminations and in upbuilding trusts and monopolies. Railroad ownership of coal deposits has been

particularly burdensome to the country. The anthracite trust, formed of lines that own and operate mines, is a striking example of this great wrong. Independent operators found that the roads over whose lines they had to ship their own product were competing with them in production. This did away with equality of opportunity. It stifled competition. It ruined many.

"In 1906 the congress, recognizing the harmful effects of these conditions, amended the interstate commerce law by providing that 'From and after May 1, 1908, it shall be unlawful for any railroad company to transport * * * any article or commodity, other than timber or the manufactured products thereof, manufactured, mined or produced by it or under its authority, or which it may own in whole or in part, or in which it may have any interest, direct or indirect, except such article or commodities as may be necessary and intended for its use in the conduct of its business as a common carrier.'

"The object of this provision of law, sometimes called the commodity clause, was to compel the railroads to dispose of their interests in coal lands and coal trusts and other trusts and to confine themselves strictly to the legitimate duties of common carriers.

"Most of the railroads, trusting to their ability to bring about the repeal of the law before the time set for its taking effect, took no steps to comply with it.

"Very early in the last session of the congress a resolution that provided for the repeal of the law was introduced by Senator Elkins of West Virginia. Elkins is a railroad owner of the first rank and is extensively interested in the coal fields of his own state. He is chairman of the committee on interstate commerce, a typical Aldrich arrangement, by the way.

"The Elkins measure aroused the indignation of press and people. It was nursed carefully, in the hope that a favorable opportunity to pass it would arise, but the state of public temper prevented its ever coming to a vote.

"Finally Senator Foraker of Ohio went to the rescue of these particular interests. He offered a resolution to add this proviso to the commodity clause:

"Provided, that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to any article or commodity lawfully acquired and owned prior to the 29th day of June, 1906, by any railroad company under and by virtue of any statute, franchise or charter lawfully issued or granted by the United States or any state or territory thereof."

"The Foraker resolution simply sought to nullify the commodity clause. The adoption of it would have restored the abuses that the commodity clause was designed to wipe out. It would have legalized those wrongs and abuses. Under the Foraker plan the railroads could have continued to hold and to control the industries and all other lines of production in which they were interested.

"Not only in coal, but in iron, oil, asphalt and other lines, the Foraker resolution would have closed to individual effort the door of opportunity. It would have legalized and made permanent the union of the trusts and the railroads. STEPHENSON VOTED FOR THE TRUSTS.

"The Foraker resolution, part of the railroad programme, went to a vote May 22, 1908. The roll call is printed on page 7664 of the Congressional Record for the last session. There were twenty-three ayes and thirty-two nays, with thirty-seven members not voting. Here is the actual vote:

"AYES—Aldrich, Ankeny, Arandee, Briggs, Burnham, Crane, Dick, Foraker, Gallinger, Guggenheim, Hale, Heyburn, Kean, Knox, Lodge, Penrose, Richardson, Smith (Mich.), Smoot, STEPHENSON, Stewart, Sutlerland, Wetmore.

"NAYS—Allison, Bacon, Bailey, Bankhead, Borah, Brown, Burkett, Carter, Clay, Curtis, Dixon, Flint, Frazier, Gamble, Gore, Hopkins, Johnson, J. A. FOLLETTE, Long, McCreary, McLaurin, Nelson, Newlands, Owen, Overman, Paynter, Perkins, Rayner, Talliaferro, Taylor, Teller, Warner.

"Fifteen Republican senators, including La Follette of Wisconsin, voted nay; hence it was not a party vote.

"Stephenson of Wisconsin voted aye. He voted with Aldrich, Crane, Foraker, Guggenheim, Hale, Kean, Penrose and Wetmore. He voted with the trusts, with the railroads, with Wall-st. He voted against the overwhelming sentiment of the Republicans of Wisconsin and of the people of the country.

"Stephenson, himself a railroad owner, voted with the other railroad owners and their representatives in the senate.

"Money from Wisconsin lined up with Money from other states."

We call attention to a sketch of Melvin A. Hoyt, democratic candidate for the senatorial nomination, which appears on this page. Mr. Hoyt is a citizen of the progressive type and a faithful champion of pure government. We believe he would have the support of all La Crosse county democrats who believe in Bryan and the things for which the Nebraskan stands.

MELVIN A. HOYT FOR U. S. SENATOR



Melvin A. Hoyt, democratic candidate for United States senator, is the editor and founder of the Milwaukee Daily News, which is the only daily newspaper published in Milwaukee that now supports and has for many years supported the principles and purposes of the democratic party.

Mr. Hoyt has through the columns of the Milwaukee Daily News fought the battles of democracy in Wisconsin for many years, without thought of reward or preferment from the party in any way, but for the good that might come to the party and to the whole people from the triumph of the party and the introduction of its principles in the operations of government.

Mr. Hoyt in the Milwaukee Daily News has been an ardent supporter of William Jennings Bryan at every opportunity, and has fought persistently and ever forcibly for every progressive principle that Mr. Bryan or other leaders in or out of the party have stood for that involved the principles and demands of the democratic party.

For nearly twenty years, since he founded The Daily News, Mr. Hoyt has been supporting the fundamental principles of the democratic party, having urged at all times strongly the position of the party on tariff reform and the principle of "equal rights to all and special privileges to none."

Mr. Hoyt has always stood firmly for the correction of all the abuses practiced by the railroads though always willing to be just toward them. For nearly twenty years he favored and fought for in The Daily News, a rate commission, just as now provided for in the law, which

this time, Rollie could not induce Merch to help him carry the Fourteenth ward when Mulder stood for renomination two years hence, because Merch is not in favor of a second term.

Now, honest! If you were hiring a man to handle an important business transaction for you, would you prefer John McConnell, or John Mulder? That is the important test.

The suggestion that Mr. Mulder should be supported because he "HAS an open mind" is inaccurate; Mr. Mulder is being supported in some quarters because he HAD an open mind.

It may be inferred that the only reason for opposing the renomination of Charles Rawlinson is that he has something up his sleeve.

A HOME INDORSEMENT

(New London Republican.)

He's been true in all things; he's scored high success in the field of business and it's been clean success, too; he's a man of education and of such native ability as enables him to make his education count; he's not in the least degree a "puffed up" man, being as approachable by laborer as by capitalist, as attentive to the unlearned as to the learned if there's sense and justice in the message; for years a heavy employer of labor, industrial harmony has always ruled in his establishments. It doesn't matter a particle from what side Mr. Hutton is viewed or on what scales he is weighed. If the eyes which view and the hand which weighs are but unprejudiced and are honestly looking for and weighing a man who is for and one of the people, Mr. Hutton will be found right.

Immunity

Satan had just ordered more coal thrown on the fire.

"By Tuminous," he cursed, "but that last arrival is a tough proposition. The more I try to roast him the more he smiles."

He called the chief stoker.

"Well, what luck?" asked Satan.

The stoker shook his head.

is so generally approved.

Mr. Hoyt favored the principle of the primary election law and urged its passage and also the passage of all the progressive laws that harmonize with fundamental democratic principles.

Mr. Hoyt stands fully on his record in which at no time has he ever appeared before the legislature or elsewhere for measures, which would be helpful to railways or other corporations in continuing the abuses and favoritisms, which had become so strong, that the people rose up and overthrew them.

Mr. Hoyt is right in the prime of life, a man of much vigor and energy and his fighting qualities are widely known. He is a graduate of the Wisconsin State university, and was born in Sussex, Waukesha county, Wisconsin. The family originally coming to Wisconsin settled in the town of Ashipon, Dodge county, removing from Dodge county to Sussex.

Mr. Hoyt was reared at Menomonee Falls, where his father had moved and was a physician, having died there in 1870, leaving his mother, who was a physician also, with a family of six children to rear. His mother died seven years ago, having been a widow for over thirty years.

Mr. Hoyt earned his way almost entirely through the university, graduating with his notes out for about \$1,600 bearing eight and ten per cent interest for money he had used to go through the university on, which he paid back after graduation. Mr. Hoyt has been thoroughly successful in his business undertakings and in all things pursues a course of rigid purposeful intent and honesty.

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

The Snake Curve Ball.

In the golden days of summer, When with Skinny, Red and Fat On the pasture-plot of Homeville You indulged in two-old cat, You remember—aye—the presence Of that wizard 'mongst you all, Who possessed the magic secret Of the snake curve ball.

'Tis the mastery of all things Given boyhood, nothing less, That enables him to sock 'em Wriggling like the letter S; While the eager batter flushes, 'Wildered by the mocking call, 'Aw, I fooled you! Aw, I fooled you! That's a snake curve ball!'

See those fearsome, long contortions! Hear the quick, triumphant shout, Which apprises all newcomers, "I can throw an in-an-out!" Tens of thousands, why your homage?

Clarkson or Waddell are small When compared to freckled urchin With his snake curve ball.

You, no doubt, were that brave pitcher— ("Watch me make it do it! Geel!") Spitting scoffers, baffling else. ("Can, too—can't I, Fat? Now see!") "Papa," "captain," "judge," "professor"— Oft may honor's mantle fall, But there's none like to the mantle Of the snake curve ball!

Why Does a Duck?

"Now, why do the ducks go in to swim?"

Said Jonathan Quiz to old Bill Stout.

"From divers motives," said Bill to him.

"And for sun-dry reasons they all come out."

To Rough for the Cows

Mrs. Rogers of cook book fame, tells of seeing a maid drop and break a beautiful platter at a dinner recently. The host did not permit a trifle like this to ruffle him in the least.

"These little accidents happen 'most every day," he said apologetically. "You see, she isn't a trained waitress. She was a dairy maid originally, but she had to abandon that occupation on account of her inability to handle the cows."—Everybody's Magazine.

THE IRON LORD

A Hitherto Unpublished Story of Immense Power.
By
S. R. CROCKETT.
(Copyrighted.)

"Well," said Mr. Romer, "if you like I will take a hundred and fifty of these,—and—keep you going till the stuff you take out balances your weekly working expenses and leave you a hundred pounds to the good!"

Philip gasped. He could hardly speak. In a gush of confidence he felt that he must tell about the empty treasury and his urgent need. He wanted to sell on no false pretences.

Perhaps Mr. Jacob Romer willfully misinterpreted.

"That's all right," he continued; "I will see Purves. He knows me. I have had dealings with him before. We shall need your signature—that is all. And, by the way, lest I forget, after this week you had better let me see your balance sheet on Saturdays—shows a considerable lurch on the down side at present, I daresay. Well, that is always the way at first. But I've been looking round. The indications are good. You and I will hit it, if we only hang on to it—and don't build light-houses, eh, Master Phil? Here's a cheque for two hundred pounds to tide you over pay day—a fortnightly one, isn't it?"

"It's only a week," blurted out Phil, with tears in his eyes, which shamed him. For were they not things that no business man ought to dream of showing. "It's only a week, and eighty would have done—only, sir, only, I did not know where to get it!"

The old man looked long through the trees, chuckled, and said, "Master Phil, I am an old pit-maker, and I had it figured down to about that. But an extra hundred in the bank won't hurt till I pay in through Purves. Only don't forget about the weekly balance sheet, eh, Phil?"

It was the first time Mr. Romer had dropped the semi-ironic "Master," and Phil nodded with a pleasurable sense of equality. He cheered up at once.

"You are running things on good lines," he said; "I know—and I say so. But those who dig up coal and iron must be prepared to put a lot into the ground before they can take out any gold!"

And he went off to meet the returning carriage swinging a light cane, and actually whistling. A few steps down the slope he alone he turned and looking up saw Phil's wistful face.

"If I were you," he said, "I would not say anything to the people down there about—well, about our little arrangement! You understand! You can consult a lawyer if you like. And work—that's the best medicine for your trouble, my lad. I was reading in the Book the other day—don't know what set me on to it—that hope deferred that makes the heart sick. Ah, he knew a lot, the old fellow who wrote that. He set to work and gathered unto himself silver and gold and the peculiar treasure of kings and provinces—something like that? Well, I suppose it just meant those Proverbs of his. I'd read them again, if I were you. There's a lot that a young fellow can chew the cud of in those Proverbs. I hadn't looked into the thing for fifty years—if ever. And I had got to think it was all for children and persons. But I opened at the Proverbs, and though I keep myself fairly well posted, I learned something new every line. Modern, too—might have been written yesterday. Try it—you won't waste your time, either, Mr. Philip! Good day!"

He was gone, and Phil stood wondering at Saul being thus among the prophets. Then his eyes turned to the cheque in his hand. It was in his own name, drawn on the Kirk-town bank for £200. "Pay to Mr. P. Calmont in person" was written across it.

So Jacob Romer had not come to bargain. He had his informations all taken beforehand, and there was the cheque ready written in his own study at Gorm Castle. To another more sophisticated than Phil this would have appeared exceedingly suspicious. But Phil knew better. He had seen a hard bold eye grow soft. He had heard an imperious voice falter. He knew that when a sentence broke off unfinished—it was because a slender girl was ascending a white path. He understood—because he was sometimes taken that way himself.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

The Second Babe Goes Into the Wood.

In the office of Incubus & Co., Ltd. at Kirktown, where everything is known before it happens, there were two opinions and only two as to the motives of "the Old Man."

"He is plainly mad!" said James Kahn and his faction.

"Trust him!" said Walter Grindling and Hector McKill; "he has his eyes on that Port Pit and those two square miles of moor. I only wish we had thought of it in time. But we only bought out his 'existing interests.' This is a new game. The Old Man can no more help it than a cat can help stealing fish, or rolling in mint. He loves a speculation for its own sake. It's the interest of 'doing' the others that takes him—not the money to be gained."

These might be called the two schools, one advocating "Senile Delirium" and the other the "Dyer's Hand."

But Jacob Romer's motive was hid from the wise and prudent, even in the head office of Incubus & Co., though not yet had it been revealed unto babes. Still Phil Calmont, who had leanings that way, divined more of it than any others.

Meantime, even as the old Mine Master bent his brows over Phil's Saturday balance sheet, and the paper mills over at Parton began to take the new Portogarten coal at

To La Crosse County Voters.

It had not been my purpose to re-enter politics, but since accident has disqualified me for active field work circumstances have strongly suggested my candidacy for an office, my competence for which is known to the public. I am not seeking this office as a mendicant, but place myself before the voters upon the basis of personal merit, soliciting the vote of every man who be- lieves I will fill the position with competence. Traveling is difficult for me now, and it being therefore impossible for me to personally call on all my friends, I take this means of addressing them. If you elect me, I will do your work well. Every little bit helps—how about your vote

"ED" LARSON

Republican Candidate for
REGISTER OF DEEDS
Primary Sept. 1, 1908

nine shillings per ton—the building of the light on Rough Isle Point took up all the time of Billy Bryan and his senior assistant, Dick Finn. It became also the talk of the neighborhood, and the laughter spread in a joyous wave.

But for that at least Uncle Barny proved to be sufficient. There really was a need for a shore light on the spot, the channel being frequented and difficult. So after many negotiations with the Commissioners of Northern Lights, a little second-hand electric plant was procured, which threw a beam sufficiently bright to reach the Skerry.

"We must keep a boy!" said Dick and Billy, simultaneously. Then they added, "but where can we find one? Boys—!" And with complete unanimity they compared the male youth of the human species to the younger angels who kept not their first estate. Only these were not the words they used—something shorter and bricker satisfied Dick and Billy.

Dick looked at Billy, and Billy looked back at Dick.

"Night about, you and me?" inquired Billy.

"Till we drop!" returned the faithful Dick.

"The boy can do some cleanin' up, with one of us to look after him," he added, thoughtfully.

"What about Emma Smith?" suggested Billy; "I am noways clear about havin' boys' near the light. They are forever pullin' handles and trying capers—"

"There's not all as bad as that one that called you—"

"Never mind—I know what he called me," cut in Billy, whom this particular reminiscence aroused, as Dick was perhaps aware, "red-headed" may be, but "red-nosed" I am not and never was!"

It did not occur to either of them that up on the face of the Heugh above the Portogarten they had left a certain "boy" considerable short-fused. In Mining, perhaps more than in any other human occupation, a comfortable bank-balance is necessary to success. It is not like sweeping a crossing, or writing books, or picking up nuggets among the gravel of some "wash-out." You must have people to dig for you—big-boned people, mostly Irish, all hungry and thirsty—particularly thirsty, with a thirst that increases as payday draws nearer. With such men "cash down" is the sine qua non. No money, no savvy!

But the cash-figure, and particularly the name of Jacob Romer at the bottom of the cheque handed in by "Philip Calmont in person," improved the commercial standing of the Portogarten Mine wonderfully. The cashier showed the bluish slip to his chief with immense knowingness, and the Chief gratified him by nodding and smiling. Their opinion was very much that of Messrs. Hector McKill and Walter Grindling.

"At it again—he can't let it alone!" was their unspoken comment. And next Saturday both inquired privately of Phil if a share or two could be got at any reasonable figure in the new Portogarten Pit. Phil knew the wisdom of gratifying such men, and he spoke to his chief on the subject. The moment was not well chosen, one of the electric fitting of the main "beam" not having come up to time. But Billy Bryan told Phil to do as he liked, not to come bothering him about every little trifle. Little things meant things unconnected with the lighthouse—big things the contrary.

Dick Finn was already busily painting inside—all best regulation colours, and had plentifully bedabbled his grey whiskers and the side of his nose with bright green. "Uncle Barny" had connected, but all the money that had been sent by the New York lawyers was urgently needed for the new installation on the Point. Phil, up on the Heugh, alone with his "sinkers" and pitmen, must get along as best he could.

"It makes the boy win his spurs," said Billy, without the least thought of plagiarizing the father of the Black Prince.

Only one at the Cottage on Rough Island (which, by the way, was not an island, but only a peninsula) be- thought herself—yes, of course it was a her—of poor semi-abandoned Phil Calmont, keeping his end up as best he could among the rough pitfalls and noisy "sinkers" on the Heugh of Portogarten.

The little white cottage sat low down in a cove where of old time they had landed many cargoes of Isle o' Man brandy, Holland, eau-de-vie, and other potent waters. It was closely beset with high cliffs on the one side—those in which Phil was sinking his mine—and packed in on the other by a sea-worn jungle of caves and arches, sandy lanes and passages, in which children could play half the day—but through which, twice in the twenty-four hours the green Atlantic water, hardly checked or altered by its passage through Paddy's Slap, roared and spouted. All this part was of sandstone and had worn readily to the lash and such of the water. Phil's tall heughs, however, stood up invincible and ungrappled, with the deep green water leaping eternally beneath them.

A path wimpled up the face of the cove in easy gradients. It was

easier now, because it had been designed for the heavy lurry loads that came from the little construction railway to the lighthouse on the point. At the top stood a little old mill, long abandoned, the wheel siltily green and weed-bedropped, the iron bars wrenched away for purposes undefined. The much maligned Boy had been busy there. Evidently also he had had a good time. This mill was contained within the two square miles of Portogarten Moor, but did not add greatly to the selling value of Billy's purchase. Behind the mill, however, a little perennial stream tinkled and sulked. Then it sped underneath the suck of the broken wheel, and brattled down the cliff, crossing the winding roadway two or three times. It was the same in which Emma Smith washed her clothes, and from which (if she were not carefully watched) she would sily abstract the cooking water, instead of going three hundred yards farther to the little spring of sweet water, called Captain Yawkin's Well, that nestled just under the high Heughs of Portogarten. Indeed, it is like enough that the old buca- neer-smuggler had tasted that clean cool brew, mingling it with a caulk- er of his latest cargo, just to show that there was no ill-feeling on either side.

Immediately above the old mill the braeside began to feather, first into bracken and primrose, according to their season, or the taller yellow broom—a brazen flaunting beauty she. Then a little higher up, after the path had done winding round a certain knoll from which you could see far below you the road to Kirk- town, began the light stippled foliage of the birches, the covering hairy-leaved hazels, the stick to the skirts and brush the face, and above all (and last of all) mounted the sweet sombre aisles of the firs.

Vida mounted slowly. It was not that she needed an excuse for going. That did not in the least trouble her. When Mr. Emerson met "the fresh Rhodora in the woods," and decided, quite correctly, that "if eyes were made for seeing, then beauty was its own excuse for being" he settled Vida's case also. She had certainly and indisputably the identical same excuse for seeing and being seen.

(To be continued.)

Outwitted the Landlord.

When recently leasing a house in a fashionable suburb of Philadelphia the lessee failed to examine closely the terms of the lease. After a time his landlord called and reminded him that he was bound to do all the outside painting at certain intervals. The tenant protested in vain; so he engaged painters and ordered them to paint the whole front of the house red, white and blue—in stripes.

When it was finished the neighborhood rose up in arms, and the landlord was frantic. The tenant politely explained that there was nothing in the lease about the color, so he intended to finish the job by painting the back of the house green with large yellow spots. The land- lord saw that he had met his match and within a few days the tenant had a new lease in which the landlord undertook to do all the outside painting.—Lippincott's.

The Cockney Sportsman—"Well, I'm jiggered! I never heard a dying rabbit make a noise like that before."

The Keeper—"No, sir; but Bill ain't no rabbit."—The Sketch.

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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. M. Dorsey has returned from an extended trip through the east.

Claude Hagen is visiting friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Miss Clara Horn has returned from a few weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Minneapolis.

A number of friends of Mrs. Louis Anderson entertained last evening at a linen shower in her honor. About 20 were present and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pittenger and party have returned from Rice Lake where they have been camping the past month.

Miss Munger has returned to her home in Minneapolis after visiting at the home of P. J. Ward for a few days.

Miss Florence Dodge is visiting friends in Dubuque for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Halbert, 617 Logan street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Merrill.

Miss May Sparrow of Chicago is visiting at the home of August Dierkop for a few days.

Miss Mary Manning is visiting relatives at Arcadia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen have been called to Minneapolis by the illness of their daughter.

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FIREMEN PUT OUT FLAMES IN GROUND

MADE LAND ON NORTH SIDE IG-
NITED BY TRAMPS

MIGHT HAVE SPREAD TO HOMES

Two Hours Is Spent to Undo the
Damage Done When Tramps
Cook Corn on Mill Site

The firemen of station No. 2 extinguished a dock fire on the "made ground" of the old Davidson mill site, after a couple of hours of hard work this morning.

The fire was started last night by a party of tramps who started a fire to cook some sweet corn that they had pilfered in that neighborhood. The ground has been "made," and some of the wood will burn readily, and if it once gets under good headway it is almost impossible to check it.

The alarm was not turned in this morning, but the firemen of the department worked for about two hours in the rain extinguishing the blaze regardless of the weather.

The land is owned by the Hirschelmer Plow company and was formerly occupied by the old Davidson mill. If the fire had not received prompt attention it might have easily spread to the surrounding dwelling houses and caused a considerable amount of damage.

LEAGUE PROBING BOAT PROPOSITION

The North Side Progressive League has been investigating through the committee appointed at the meeting Wednesday evening the proposition of the Pope Motor Boat company and at present is working on a deal with the Vote-Berger company for the use of the factory on the North Side in case the Pope company locates here.

There is some talk of appointing a committee to go to Fond du Lac to make a thorough investigation of the affairs of the Pope company, but the matter has not been decided. A great deal of interest has been shown in connection with the deal and there is little doubt that the necessary amount of stock will be subscribed, providing the business men are willing to back up their promises to buy a portion of the \$15,000 stock that must be bought providing the league is satisfied the company is to come to La Crosse.

"HOBOES" FOUND NO HARVEST IN WEST

The trains coming from the west daily bring large cargoes of "hoboes" who have forsaken the glorious west for the big cities of the east. This year thousands of the weary wanderers flocked west to take advantage of harvest time but unfortunately the scarcity of labor was not as some press agent had pictured it and men were not getting the high wages that were paid in past years during the big harvest season rush. North Dakota had thousands of unemployed men who flooded the labor market, so help was considerably cheaper than is usually the case and the "sons of rest" were compelled to hit the trail back east once more.

STEPS FROM BOAT: FALLS INTO RIVER

Stepping from a boat onto an overgrown willow bank, Miss Anna Indahl, aged 20, yesterday fell into Black river. Mr. David Kandall, a night watchman, and Mrs. Kandall, with whom the young woman had been fishing, rescued her. Mr. Kandall was pulled into the water by the scared girl, and the boat was turned over, dumping many valuables into the water, all of which were recovered by Mr. Kandall, however. The party had started fishing in the morning, and it was while attempting to make the landing that the accident occurred.

MRS. PIEPER IMPROVES.

Mrs. Frederick Pieper, 1127 Avon street, who fell from a chair in the kitchen while preparing to start a fire Thursday morning and fractured her hip, is resting easily this morning. The advanced age of the woman makes the injury of a more than usually serious nature but it is thought that she will recover.

Broke.

"Yes, poor fellow, he's a friend of mine."
"Indeed?"
"Same thing in need."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Poor Fellow!

Hewitt—He doesn't dare say that his soul is his own. Jewett—He has been walked over so much that he says he feels like a beaten path.—New York Press.

Introduce wisdom into a love affair and you will break it up.

WOMAN AND SALOON MAN IN A BRAWL

FRACAS ON NORTH SIDE ENDS IN
POLICE COURT

NELL RYAN'S EYES SWOLLEN

John Naggli Claims She Hit Him
With a Whip, but Woman Says
This Was in Self Defense

Nell Ryan and John Naggli, two well known residents of the North side, were arraigned in police court this morning, charged with fighting and otherwise creating a disturbance on the quiet streets of the North side, and the former was fined \$2 and costs, amounting to \$4.50, while Naggli was fined \$5 and costs, amounting to \$7.50.

The affair occurred yesterday afternoon in front of the Hans Skunberg saloon, 515 Hager street. According to the testimony of the defendants, the Ryan woman was out riding and stopped in front of the saloon when Naggli appeared. Naggli claimed that the Ryan woman hit him over the face with a driving whip, and when he tried to get away she followed and kept slashing him over the face with the whip. In order to protect himself, he said he assumed the prize fighting role and administered a severe beating to the woman.

The Ryan woman claims Naggli struck her first, and to protect herself she hit him with the whip.

When the police interfered the fracas resembled a tough brawl and when the parties were taken into court this morning Naggli had a scar on his nose and was minus considerable cuticle from the effects of the whip, while the Ryan woman could see with difficulty as both her optics were swollen and exceedingly black.

Both showed signs of a fistic encounter and as this is in direct violation to the ordinance, Judge Hunt found both parties guilty. After communicating with friends both paid up.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS

To the ordinary man and woman no conception of the torture to which the poor, unfortunate goose is put could possibly be formed.

The geese when about nine months old are taken from the pastures and placed in an underground cellar, where broad, slanting stone slabs stand in rows, and are bound fast to the tables. They are literally crucified.

Feet, wings and bodies are spread out and bound by bands, so that only the neck is left free. As may be imagined, the animal struggles with all its might against this stretching till, after days of vain endeavor to free itself from the bands and its position, its powers of resistance are overcome, and a dull resignation, broken only by its low cries, takes possession of it. Two months must pass away before death brings relief.

The animals are meanwhile crammed with dumplings made of dough of buckwheat, chestnuts and stewed maize. Every two hours, six times a day, they receive from three to five dumpling pills, which in time become so sweet to the tortured creatures that they stretch their necks to be crammed.

The most difficult task is to determine the right moment for death. Those who die of their own accord are lost to the liver factory; therefore a kind of study is needed to see when the cup of agony is brimming full and the liver is ripe for taking. The bodies of such ripe ones are like pumpkins. Where ordinarily fingers are buried in flesh and fat nothing but skin and bone are found. The livers have absorbed all the strength and juices.

The more worthless the man the more difficult it is to satisfy him.

COUNT VON GETZEN.



WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 27.—With the death of Baron Speck Von Sternberg, the German ambassador to the United States, the question arises as to his probable successor. Count Von Getzen, the Prussian minister at Hamburg, stands out prominently among several likely appointees. Herr Von Reichenau, the German minister to Brazil; Dr. Baron Munn von Schwarz, the German ambassador to Japan, are others prominently mentioned.

The post will not be filled by a new appointment until after the second week in September after Prince Von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, has conferred with the emperor. One reason for the conjecture that Count Von Getzen may be Sternberg's successor is the fact that an American diplomatist while in conversation with the emperor only a short time ago, said something complimentary to Count Von Getzen. "I am glad to hear you say this," the emperor is reported to have replied, "because Count Von Getzen will be the next ambassador to Washington."

This statement was very definite when made and created so much feeling in the German diplomatic service that it may be necessary for the decision to be changed. Count Von Getzen belongs to the younger set in German diplomatic corps and others are considered more rightfully to be in line for this desirable appointment. Count Von Getzen is a brilliant and amiable man, 42 years old. He has seen a variety of service, including the post of military attaché at Washington from 1896 to 1900. After this he was made governor to German East Africa for five years and in February of this year was appointed minister at Hamburg. Another thing which augers his appointment is the fact that he married an American lady, Mrs. May Stanley Lay of Baltimore. Her maiden name was Lonley.

Herr Von Reichenau has had a much wider diplomatic service than the count. He is known as a well versed man of North and South America, besides being first secre-

WARDENS LIE IN WAIT FOR HUNTERS

MINNESOTANS HAUNTING THE
OPPOSITE SHORE

DEPUTIES SELECTED HERE

Men Whom Know La Crosse Hunters
Are Hired by Minnesota to De-
tect and Report Illegals

Haunting the woods and marshes of the Minnesota shore, opposite La Crosse, are six or seven Minnesota deputy game wardens, some especially selected because they know La Crosse people, who have orders to arrest and prosecute to the fullest extent any and all illegal hunters. The appointment of six deputies for this service followed a visit of Deputy Game Warden Harry P. Felgate of Winona to the vicinity opposite La Crosse in Minnesota. His report of violations by La Crosse people were so startling the state game warden of Minnesota at once ordered the special watch set upon the La Crosse-ites.

Warden Felgate says he has had several complaints made to him that illegal fishing and hunting were being done in Minnesota, opposite La Crosse and he came down to investigate, spending several days in this locality.

He says that there is no question that the parties making the complaints have good grounds for doing so, as he was furnished with much information regarding illegal work while on his trip.

Special Deputies. E
Most of the illegal work is being done by residents of La Crosse, La Crescent and Brownsville, and as the territory is a large one for one deputy to cover, he immediately took the matter up with his superior officer, Carlos Avery, the executive game agent at St. Paul, who very promptly authorized him to place four special deputies in that locality and one special in the vicinity of Winona.

This force with Warden Felgate will give six wardens to take care of this district. Warden Felgate selected his men while at La Crosse and notified them yesterday.

The special wardens will be kept until the hunting season is over, and any person found hunting before September 1 will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law and any one found hunting after the season opens will have to prove beyond a doubt that he is a resident of the county he is hunting in or he will be prosecuted for hunting contrary to law.

Warden Felgate says, "I am sick and tired of well-to-do, so-called sportsmen from Wisconsin coming into our hunting grounds and hunting without a license and I will prosecute any and every one we get that does so. I will also state that this will apply all over our county."

Means Business.
"I have selected two of my wardens who are personally acquainted with those persons who hunt and fish from La Crosse and they will not be bluffed by any plea that may be made to them."

Warden Felgate left Winona yesterday for the lower end of his district to post his deputies as to their duties, and the Winona warden and his mysterious aides are even now within a very short distance of La Crosse ready to pounce upon the luckless illegal hunter and fisherman.

tary of the German embassy at Washington, 1896 to 1898. He was minister to Guatemala and Chili before he was sent to Brazil and he has been regarded as a man picked for promotion.

Baron Munn von Schwarz has often said he would rather be in the embassy at Washington than any other post in the service. He was a candidate before Baron Von Sternberg for the appointment. He is well satisfied with his post at Tokio and is serving Germany so well there that they may hesitate to change him to



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MILITIA PREPARES FOR ENCAMPMENT

Preparations are being made by the local militia companies for the National encampment at Fort Benjamin Harrison near Indianapolis. The entire Third regiment, together with national guard companies of various other states will go into camp at that place September 20. Of the local companies it is expected that nearly the full enlistment will attend.

According to a list that has been prepared a total of 13,530 guardsmen will attend while there will be the regular army infantry, cavalry and battery.

Ohio will send 4,940, nearly the entire enlistment; Indiana 2,000, Illinois 2,365, West Virginia 1,200, Michigan 1,150, Wisconsin 775, Kentucky 800.

FIRE IN SMITH WAGON FACTORY

Last night at about 8 o'clock fire broke out in the wood working department of the Smith Wagon works, west of the Plow company plant, and considerable damage was done before the flames were extinguished. The smoke was so dense that the firemen after repeated attempts gave up the idea of working inside the building and the streams were

turned in through the windows. The fire spread to the upper floor, but the entire portion of the building was drenched and the flames extinguished. The portion where the finished work is stored was unharmed. The loss will be about \$2,500, mostly to the building, and unfinished stock, and is fully covered by insurance.

A Lesson.

The Lady—Look here! You said that if I'd give you your dinner you'd mow the lawn for me. The Hobo—I'd like to do it, ma'am, but I gotta teach yer a lesson. Never trust th' word of a total stranger.—Cleveland Leader.

His Night Work.

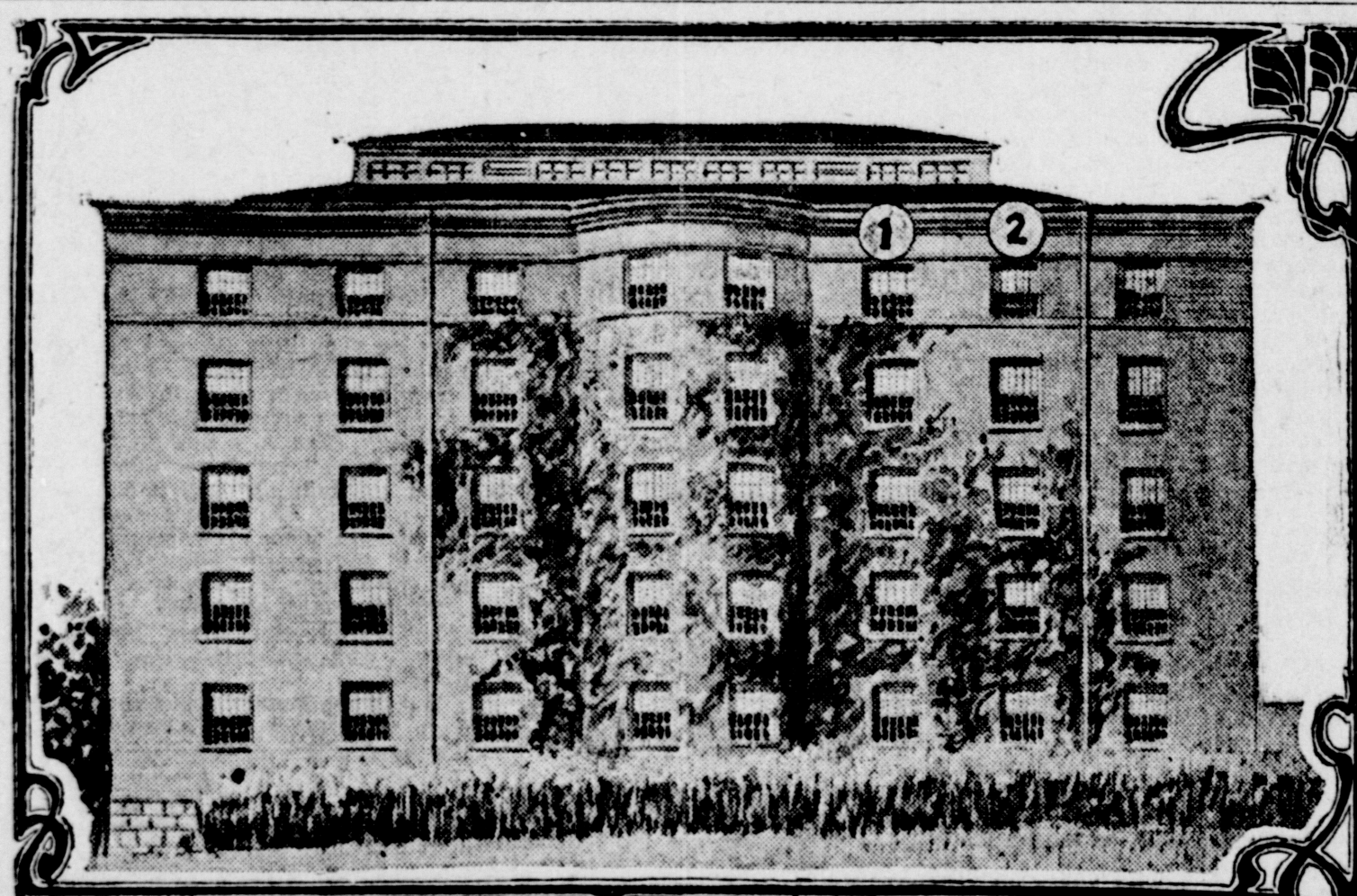
Wife—What makes you stay at the office so late at night? Do you gain anything by it?
Hubby—No. But I have several times come-er—within an ace of gaining something.—Philadelphia Record.

The Explanation.

Him (in the surf)—The water is getting cold. I wonder why.
Her—That tall girl who just came in is from Boston.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Wealth is not his that has it, but his that enjoys it.—Franklin.

Read the Tribune sporting news.



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BRYAN MAKES HIT IN KANSAS SPEECH

(Continued from Page One.)

efficient to prevent the enactment of the needed law—so you still suffer. "But you know its necessity. You have seen fifty-four national banks taking advantage of Oklahoma's system and reaping a rich reward. You heard the echo of the blow struck at these banks by the attorney general—that echo being the surrender in Oklahoma by national banks of their charters, that they might become state banks to enjoy the benefits of the system.

Wants Depositors Made Secure.

"Why not make the depositor secure," continued Mr. Bryan. "The United States government requires the deposit of specific security when it intrusts money to a national bank, although it can examine the bank at any time; the state requires security when it deposits money in a bank; the county requires security, and the city requires security; even the bank requires security from the official who handles money. Why should the depositor be left to take his chances?"

"Not only is the depositor without protection but the security given to nation, state, county, and city lessens its security. They are preferred creditors; they have a mortgage on the edge assets and the depositor must get along as best he can with what remains. Why are the interests of depositors thus neglected?"

"A bank asks deposits on the theory that the depositor is sure of the return of his money, and the laws ought to make the facts conform to the theory. The depositor, the community, and the banker himself will be benefited by legislation which will give to every depositor the assurance that that which is committed to the keeping of the bank will be available to meet his needs at any time. Such is not the case today, for while all banks are reasonably secure, they are not absolutely so. This statement can be verified in several ways.

Money Sent to Europe.

"The president has advocated a postal savings bank, and his postmaster general, in presenting an argument in its favor, pointed out that many millions are sent to European savings banks every year by Americans of foreign birth who prefer to trust the state institutions of the nations beyond the sea rather than the private banking institutions here.

"It is known that a considerable amount of money is in hiding, the amount increasing with the approach of a panic or business depression. The money is not only withdrawn from active use, but is likely to be withdrawn just at the time when money is most needed and when the withdrawal will increase the financial disturbance. It is impossible to reason with fear; it is futile to tell men that they will probably get their money. The moment the depositors suspect a bank, they hasten to destroy its solvency. Distrust, and distrust alone, can explain the hiding of money.

"The increase in the issue of money orders, payable to the order of the purchaser, is another evidence that people are seeking greater security for their money. The banks will pay an interest upon deposits, and yet those who buy money orders prefer to lose the interest and, in addition to that, pay the price of the money order in order to secure the government's guarantee.

Cites Experience of Oklahoma.

"National banks confess that their banks are not secure when they oppose the guaranty of state banks on the ground that it would lessen deposits in national banks; and state bankers confess that their banks are not secure when they oppose a national guaranty system on the ground that it will draw deposits away from state banks.

"The experience of Oklahoma furnishes conclusive proof that depositors do not feel their money safe in unsecured banks. On Dec. 17, 1907, the Oklahoma legislature enacted a depositors' guaranty law, which became operative Feb. 4, 1908. By the provisions of this law all state banks and as many national banks as desire to avail themselves of the law are taxed 1 per cent on their deposits, and the money thus collected is put into a guaranty fund. The banking board is authorized to make additional assessments from time to time and is directed to take possession of and keep the fund up to this amount, 2—BRYAN SPEECH . . . Vaatwa any insolvent bank, pay the depositors in full, and reimburse the fund by collecting the assets of the failed bank.

"Five hundred and fifty-five banks, including fifty-four national banks, had come under the provisions of this law on May 14, leaving but 255 unsecured banks (all national) in the state. Statements are made by the banks in December and May. Between these periods the secured banks gained in deposits \$4,237,765.22, while the unsecured banks, all national, showed a decrease in deposits of \$1,101,807.86. A large part of this increase represented money brought from hiding or from without the state, but the decrease in the unsecured banks can only be explained in one way. A large number of depositors withdrew their money from the unsecured banks, and deposited it in the secured banks.

Lessons Learned in Panic.

"For years efforts have been made in congress and in the various states to secure a law guaranteeing deposits, but the influence of the great banking institutions has been sufficient to prevent action. Last fall, however, when the banks by a concerted action suspended payments on checks, the depositors were everywhere brought to a realization of the fact that their deposits are in fact loans, payable on demand under ordinary circumstances, but payable at the will of the bank in emergency. The depositors suffered a considerable loss during the suspension of payments, and they have not forgotten the lesson they then learned.

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on the subject, and the republican candidate not only does not advocate a compulsory system but specifically and emphatically opposes it. He says the proposition is to tax the honest and prudent banker to make up for the dishonesty and imprudence of others. Does not the honest and prudent banker under existing laws suffer in order that the dishonest and imprudent? If we had no banking laws at all and banking was done by private individuals, the honest and prudent banker would save the money that he now pays for enforced examinations of his bank, and he could at times make interest on the part of the money he is now required to keep in his vault as a rigid reserve. But because some bankers are not prudent, these laws place a burden upon the good as well as the bad, it being difficult to distinguish the prudent banker from the imprudent one until a bank actually fails.

Mutual Responsibility as Safeguard

"The chief cause of bank failures is the making of excessive loans to directors or officers of the bank. This is the fruitful cause of disaster, and it has been impossible to secure legislation protecting banks from their own officials and directors. Why? Because there has been no mutual responsibility. When all banks become liable for the deposits of each, the stockholders will insist upon the enactment of a law making it a criminal offense for a bank official to loan more than the prescribed amount to one individual.

"An objection is sometimes made to the guaranty law that a 'new bank' would start up across the street, and being unable to promise its depositors absolute security through the guaranty law, could draw the deposits away from conservatively managed banks, by offering a higher rate of interest than the latter could pay. This objection is urged as if it were an unanswerable one. But let us see how easily it can be met. Since the law makes all of the banks liable for the obligations of each bank, the law should prohibit any abuse of this security by any bank.

"It has also been urged as an objection that under the guaranty system a big bank would have no advantage over a little bank. Even if

this argument were sound, it could not weigh against the advantages of the system, for banks are made for the people, not the people for the banks. But the big bank needs the guaranty as well as the little one, for big banks fail as well as small banks, and the bigger the bank the greater the calamity to the community when it fails. No bank is so big as to be absolutely beyond danger, and a community needs protection against the big banks' failure even more than against the failure of the small ones.

Objections to Postal Banks.

"The republican party proposes the establishment of a postal savings bank system; the democratic party prefers the guaranteed bank because it is better for the depositor and better for the banker—it gives the depositor the security which he needs and yet leaves the banking business in the hands of the banks. But the democratic platform declares for a postal savings bank if the guaranteed bank cannot be secured, and in November more than 99 per cent of the voters will by their ballot demand either the guaranteed bank or the postal savings bank.

"The republican platform does not go into detail, but it is fair to assume that the postal savings bank plan is intended as an endorsement of the postal savings bank system proposed by the president. Under this plan the federal government would invite the deposit of savings, a limit being placed upon the amount that each person or each family could deposit. According to this plan the business man would not be protected, for he uses a checking account instead of a savings account; but no one can doubt that the successful operation of a government savings bank would ultimately lead to an extension of the plan until the government bank would include the ordinary checking account and be open to deposits without limit.

"It would mean a long contest between the depositors and the bankers, but a contest which must in the end be decided on the side of the depositors. The banker must decide, therefore, whether he will favor a postal savings bank which, in the absence of the guaranty law, will grow until it absorbs the banking business, or preserve the present system of banking by giving to the

people, through a guaranty law, the protection they must otherwise find in a government bank.

Calls G. O. P. Friend of Few

"Why has the republican party been so quick to respond to the demands of Wall street and so slow to the demands of the masses? There are two reasons: first, the republican party has allowed itself to become the servant of the favor seeking corporation, and second, too many republican leaders look at questions from the aristocratic standpoint, the standpoint of the few—rather than from the democratic standpoint, the standpoint of the many. They legislate upon the theory that society is suspended from the top, and they fail, therefore, to understand either the evils that afflict the body politic or the remedies that are needed. The democratic party, viewing questions from the standpoint of the whole people, easily sees that which republican leaders do not discover, and its remedies begin with the relief of the average man.

"When Solomon was invited to choose what he would, he asked for an understanding heart, that he might discern between the good and the bad, and he was told that, because he had chosen wisdom rather than riches or long life, he should have not only wisdom but riches and length of days as well. And so when a party determines to seek first that which benefits the common people, it finds that in acting in the interest of the common people it also promotes the welfare of the smaller classes which rest upon the masses, for when the producers of wealth prosper their prosperity is shared by every element of society."

Bankers Favor Plan, He Says

Upon the conclusion of his prepared speech, Mr. Bryan said: "I asked Mr. Breidenthal, a banker of Kansas City, to make inquiry among the bankers of Kansas and ascertain what proportion of them favored the guaranty law. I learned that of the bankers who had expressed themselves on this subject about three-fourths favored a guaranty law.

"That is an excellent showing. Among the depositors there is no opposition at all, and it is evident that the Kansas bankers recognize first, that something must be done, and,

second, that the guaranteed bank is better than the postal savings bank.

"I also inquired of Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma in regard to the number of national banks which have surrendered their charters and become state banks in order to have the benefits of the guaranty system. I have a telegram from him saying that four national banks have already made the change and that sixteen others have applied for state charters. This is conclusive proof that the Oklahoma law is a success.

Twenty Change in New State

"A national charter is supposed to have some advantages over a state charter and the benefits of the guaranty law must be admitted when twenty national banks will in a short time change from the national system to the state system in order to give their depositors the advantages furnished by the guaranty system.

"Since the preparation of my speech on this subject the republicans of Kansas have held a convention and adopted a state platform. The plank on the guaranty of banks is a recognition of the necessity for security, but the plank is so worded as to be practically useless so far as the protection of the people is concerned. The republicans propose to enable the state banks to 'mutually and voluntarily' guarantee deposits. That is not enough. Suppose that the banks mutually agreed not to do it. Must the depositor be left unsecured?"

"The Kansas republican platform also requests the republican candidates for congress and the United States senate to favor a law in aid of a national bank to participate in the proposed mutual and voluntary system. But what chance is there of securing such a law when the republican national convention refuses to pay any attention to the subject and when the republican candidate opposes the whole proposition of the guaranty?"

G. O. P. Planks as Democratic

"Speaking of platforms, I am glad to call attention to the fact that the republican platform adopted in Kansas indorses the democratic national platform on two important questions. First, it favors the election of senators by direct vote of the people, a reform the republican national con-

vention rejected by a vote of seven to one and which Mr. Taft has never advocated but once and that only in a half hearted way.

"Another plank indorsing the democratic platform is to be found in the condemnation of the present rules of the house and in the demand for a modification of the rules. This is the position taken by the democratic national convention and it is gratifying to know that the republicans of Kansas have supported us in the position taken.

"But what shall we say of the condemnation of the vice presidential candidate, Mr. Sherman while Mr. Sherman's name is not mentioned, he is so prominently connected with the present rules of the house that the republican platform on this subject cannot be construed otherwise than as a denunciation of him.

Asks Support of Republicans

"Here we have the republicans of Kansas heartily indorsing the nomination of Taft and Sherman—even commending the speech of acceptance of Mr. Taft—while the convention proceeds to condemn Mr. Taft's position on the guaranty of banks and Mr. Sherman's position on the subject of rules. There is no doubt that there is a strong reform sentiment among the republicans of Kansas and the best way they can give expression to it is to vote for the democratic electors and thus get the national administration in harmony with their ideas.

"They ought to arrange a democratic state ticket which stands for their reforms, a democratic legislature which will not only stand for the guaranty law but elect Mr. Farrelly to vote for reforms in the United States senate. Then the republicans of Kansas ought to complete their work by electing democratic members of congress to help reform the rules of the house and help to carry out the reform pledged in the democratic platform."

The average politician would not recognize a moral issue if he were to meet it face to face.

Belle: "So Maude has accepted Charley! Would you have accepted him if you had been in her place?" Lena: "Very likely. She was in his lap at the time."

NEW BIDS ON THE COUNTY SCHOOL

FIRST OFFERS OF CONTRACTORS ENTIRELY TOO HIGH

EXCEEDED APPROPRIATION

Chairman J. L. Pettingill Says Committee Will Open New Bids September 3

Because the bids received were far in excess of the appropriation, the contracts for the new La Crosse County School of Agriculture have not been let and new bids will be received.

"When the bids were opened some time ago," said J. L. Pettingill, "it was thought they were rather high and as a result the contracts were not awarded at that time." Yesterday a meeting of the school board was held and it was decided to advertise for new bids, the cost, according to the bids filed, being far in excess of the appropriation made by the county.

On September 3 the new bids will be opened at the county court house.

ISA FALLS GETS ARCADIA OFFICE

Congressman John J. Esch has received official announcement that Miss Isa Falls has been appointed postmaster at Arcadia, Wis. Miss Falls is to fill the office made vacant by the death of George H. Dodge.

If a woman cannot remember what her husband said when he proposed, it is a sign that she proposed.

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WANT MEMBERS OF CONGRESS IN CITY

REV. CLEMENS AND DR. EVANS PROMOTE ORGANIZATION

WAGE WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS

Well Known Pastor Urges La Crosse People to Aid in Sending 400 From Wis. to Washington

Rev. J. J. Clemens of this city, president of the Humane society and interested in the war which is now being waged on tuberculosis, is actively engaged in urging people of the city to join the tuberculosis congress by which the state expects to be able to send 400 members to the National congress in Washington, Sept. 21 to Oct. 12th.

Rev. Clemens states that there are only four or five members in La Crosse so far and that it is desirable that this city be well represented in the state delegation. The cost of active membership is \$5 while associate membership costs \$2. To those who join a congress medal is sent besides literature on the war on tuberculosis and other advantages and all Wisconsin members of the International Congress will be made members of the newly organized Wisconsin society for the study and prevention of tuberculosis, without dues, for at least one year. Members will get a special one and three-fifth fare for the round trip to the Washington congress, and Rev. Clemens says that either Dr. E. Evans or himself will be pleased to take subscriptions for membership.

The coming international congress on tuberculosis will mark an epoch in the anti-tuberculosis movement in this country. The congress meets triennially. It has never been held in the United States, and as the honor of entertaining it is eagerly sought by the countries abroad, it is not probable that it will convene again in this country for many years. It will continue for three weeks from September 21 to October 12. The section meetings will take place during the week beginning September 28, but the exhibition will be open during the entire time. Clinics and demonstrations will be held in connection with the exhibition, and a series of public lectures has been arranged to be given in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and Boston.

The congress will put the people of this country in the relation of host to the leaders of this movement in all parts of the world. It will be a real world's congress. The most eminent authorities on the tuberculosis problem in this and from other countries will take part in the discussions. Official delegates will be present from nearly all the civilized countries.

FLEET SENDS WIRELESS

MELBOURNE, Aug. 28.—According to a wireless received today the fleet expects to drop anchor in this harbor between 11 and 12 o'clock tomorrow morning. The weather is reported fine and everybody is enjoying the trip.

HARGIS CASE GOES TO TRIAL

JACKSON, Ky., Aug. 27.—Judge Adams has overruled the motion made for a change of venue in the case of Beech Hargis, charged with the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis. The case will be tried in Breathitt county.

LITTLE CHILD DEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herman of 829 South Third street, mourn the loss of their 13-months-old daughter, Lillian Augusta, at 11 o'clock this morning, after a week's illness of teething and summer complaint. The funeral, which is in charge of Mrs. Theo. Mannstedt, will be announced later, with interment in Oak Grove cemetery.

MILLIONAIRE SUICIDES.

LA FAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 28.—John H. Briggs, aged 62, a millionaire cattle raiser, today committed suicide at his home in Attica. He stood before the mirror and fired a bullet into his brain. Despondency over ill health is given as the cause.

The Swiss Referendum.

In some of the cantons of Switzerland a method resembling the referendum has been in practice since the sixteenth century. The present form was adopted in the canton of St. Gallen in 1830. In 1848, in spite of conservative opposition, the referendum was incorporated in the Swiss federal constitution, and in 1874 its application was extended. In all the cantons, except Fribourg, the referendum is now established.

The Allowance.

"But," protested the wayward son, "you should make allowance for the follies of youth."

"Huh!" growled the old man. "If it wasn't for the allowance you get there would be less folly."—Chicago News.

Your Mother?

Here's to the woman who has a smile for every joy, a tear for every sorrow, a consolation for every grief, an excuse for every fault, a prayer for every misfortune, an encouragement for every hope.—Sainte Foix.

Sympathy.

Archib—Baw Jove, the wind blew a spark from me pipe against me neck just now.

Reggie—I noticed there seemed to be a smell of burning rubber in the air.—Pick-Me-Up.

LITTLE JOURNEYS TO SUMMER HOMES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE



Miss Clara Barton, one of the most widely celebrated army nurses in the world, with her secretary at her beautiful country home, Glen Echo, near Washington, D. C.



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Miss Clara Barton in a Typical Pose as She Appears at Her Summer Home

Near Glen Echo, a quiet refined amusement park about half an hour by trolley from the capital city, lives Miss Clara Barton, the most prominent figure in the International Red Cross society, and in very significant figure in all peace movements of the past generation.

The house, a quaint unpretentious her closshd al-oal'w'r-nl shrdl the Potomac river, is full of relics and souvenirs of incidents of Miss Barton's varied career.

Here she lives a quiet retired life where she can enjoy the company of her close friends and enjoy the out-of-door life which she loves. She is very fond of dumb animals and has horses, cows, dogs, cats and chickens.

In fact "Glen Echo" seems an ideal place for this venerable woman to spend in comfort the waning years of her useful life.

Plato's Theology.

It is difficult to say what idea Plato had of the Deity. The best scholars in the world have been trying to settle the question for centuries without having reached anything like an agreement. But it is clear that he believed in a supreme power and intelligence, which he seems to make synonymous with "wisdom" and "goodness." Whether he considered the Deity to be "personal" or "impersonal" it is impossible to say. Plato taught the doctrine of future retribution and exonerates God from all responsibility for physical and moral evil.—New York American.

The Recognition.

Friend—Hello, Pat! I scarcely knew you with your whiskers off. Pat—The same old me, me boy. I didn't know myself when I looked into the glass except by me voice.—London Telegraph.

Quite Natural.

"Well, how does it feel to have a niche in the Temple of Fame?"

"Quite natural," replied the now celebrated poet. "I've always lived in a full bedroom."—Kansas City Journal.

What Did He Mean?

Wife (at dinner)—Cook left us this morning. Husband—Who cooked the dinner? Wife—I did. Husband—Really? Well, we'll have to get a new cook right away.—Lippincott's.

Books are divisible into two classes—the books of the hour and the books of all time.—Ruskin.

MOLL MAY HAVE BEEN MISQUOTED

STATEMENT IN CHICAGO PAPER IS NOT A FACT

SAYS BUT "RUMOR" PREVAILS

And Says No Protests Have Been Made, Though He Has Already Acknowledged La Crosse Kick

The following was published in today's edition of the Chicago Tribune under a Milwaukee date line: "A rumor has been circulated throughout the Wisconsin-Illinois league circuit that several of the clubs have been harboring ineligible players. President Moll has not received official protests, but said today that he understood they would soon be made, and, if proven, a large number of games would be thrown out before the end of the season."

Considerable interest is taken by the local followers of the La Crosse team in this, in view of the protest of the Wausau games last week, by La Crosse. The statement of President Moll in the foregoing article that no protests have been made to him regarding the league teams harboring ineligible players, is erroneous. Following the Wausau-La Crosse game last Sunday, President Elliott sent a protest to Moll on the grounds that Wausau had played Baker, a Northern league player, and since sending the protest, has received a letter from Mr. Moll in which the latter states that he is investigating the playing of Baker.

If President Moll's quoted statement is true, there will be considerable shaking up of standings of the teams. The Wausau management, through an article in a Wausau paper, states that Baker is free and independent to play with whoever he wants to, and calls attention to the fact that the Northern league broke up or disbanded. This would have been all right, according to the local management, if Baker had participated in a game prior to the thirty days' limit, but in view of the fact that he first joined the team last week, the management at Wausau is still violating the constitution of the league and the games stand to be thrown out entirely or forfeited to the team which plays eligible players.

HAD PAL'S WIFE AT PLEASURE RESORT

(Continued from page 1.)

who halted the chair came face to face with them and was walking slowly. Peering through the glass windows behind which Mr. Roberts and Mrs. Williams sat, the man laid his hand on the chair and shoved one window aside, at the same time showing a revolver. Thinking the man wanted money, Mrs. Williams declares she offered him her chatelaine bag. The stranger waved it aside and ordered Roberts to "get out." As Roberts got up, Mrs. Williams says, she looked hard and saw for the first time that the man was masked. He shot four or five bullets, one of them taking effect in Roberts' side, another penetrating the back of the rolling chair and narrowly missing Mrs. Williams, and the others going wild. Then, declares Mrs. Williams, the man coolly walked away. The negro chair pusher admits he was too frightened to act and ran away.

Thought Wife in Boston.
BALTIMORE, Aug. 28.—Probably the greatest stir Baltimore's fashionable life has known promises to be the outcome of the mysterious shooting of Mr. Roberts at Atlantic City, as both Mr. Roberts and Mrs. Williams are identified with the fashionable life and both are widely known.

Mrs. Williams, whose husband says he understood she was visiting friends in Boston, was Miss Belle de Ford, the oldest daughter of Thomas de Ford of a family that was in the wholesale hide and leather business for years and amassed a fortune. She is a tall, willowy brunette with a rose tinted olive complexion and dark eyes. Her beauty has always attracted attention.

Mrs. Williams Not There.
Williams today emphatically declared his wife was not in Atlantic City at the time of the shooting.

The local police are joining hands with the police of Atlantic City in the effort to run down the assailant. Detective Harry Wilson of the Atlantic City force arrived today and with two detectives of the local force are looking up people acquainted with Roberts.

SAGE ESTATE \$64,000,000.

For the first time since the death of the late Russell Sage, which occurred in July, 1906, it became publicly known today that the appraised valuation of the estate left by him amounts to the total sum of \$64,155,800.91. Of the sum named the appraised share of Mrs. Sage, the widow of the financier, to whom he left practically all of his accumulated wealth, with the exception of bequests of \$25,000 each to a score or more of collateral relatives, amounts to \$63,788,800.91. The aggregate of the twenty-nine bequests made by Mr. Sage to nieces and nephews and the direct descendants of such nieces and nephews as had died before the death of the testator is about \$550,000.

As approved by the surrogate today, the inheritance or transfer tax, which goes to the state as a result of the appraisal and settlement of the estate amounts to \$667,538.01.

Reading obituary notices leads one to believe than only the good ever die.

Which Will You Buy?

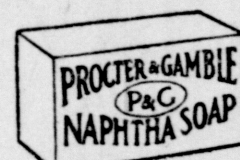
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Clothes washed with ordinary naphtha soaps are also clean and white, but it takes more soap, more time and more effort to accomplish the same results.

A cake of ordinary naphtha soap is not as hard as a cake of P. & G. Naphtha Soap. It does not last as long; nor does it do as much work.

Manufacturers of ordinary naphtha soaps will tell you their soap is "just as good" as P. & G. Naphtha Soap. They cannot truthfully say it is better.

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WISCONSIN NEWS

MARINE PARADE IS A GRAND SPECTACLE

OSHKOSH HOMECOMING ENDS IN BIG WATER CARNIVAL

ALSO TO HOLD HORSE RACES

Have Opened Chautauqua Which Will Continue for Ten Days—Fast Horses are Entered

OSHKOSH, Wis., Aug. 28.—The program in the Oshkosh old home week celebration had for its chief feature a marine parade on the Fox river and Lake Winnebago.

About 100 boats were in line, each one brilliantly illuminated with Japanese lanterns. The effect of this elaborate decoration was something never before witnessed in this city, thousands lined the river banks and were congregated at North park where the boats drew up after evolutions in front of the yacht club. The celebration closed with a big display of fireworks, many hundreds of dollars having been spent on the pyrotechnics alone.

The features of the interest this afternoon were horse races at the Oshkosh Driving park and yacht races on Lake Winnebago over the yacht club course. The horse matinee had several good events on a mile track a 2:40 pace was won by Bamboozillum owned by Fred Dougherty. This animal took two straight heats. Maud Line (Groff) was second in the first heat, and Lucy Carey (McCormick) was second in the second heat, no time was taken. The half mile free-for-all was won by Diamond D (Masterson) which won the first and third heat. Faust (Bunn) won the second heat. Time, 1:22, 1:11, 1:07:45.

The auto race, named Isabelle (Dailey), beating the animal in a mile contest. The feature of the boat races was a twenty mile race between Dr. F. J. Fielding's Alamo and H. F. Doman's launch. The Doman, Alamo beat the Doman by over two minutes. The boats made better than twenty-seven miles an hour. This race had been pending for some time and the rivalry was keen. It was for a handsome cup.

Today a chautauqua lasting ten days started. Over 27,000 people rode on the city electric lines Wednesday Oshkosh day.

STONE BARGE TURNS TURTLE IN LAKE

MANITOWOC, Wis., Aug. 28.—One of the boat's crew of three men is believed to have been lost, another was rescued after clinging to the overturned boat for hours, while a third floated about Lake Michigan for ten hours before being picked up as a result of the barge, Baldwin's turning turtle off Twin river point at 3 o'clock this morning.

The barge was bound for Sturgeon Bay, laden with stone for harbor work at that place, when she was struck by the heavy seas and turned turtle. The tug Torrent, which was towing the barge, failed to discover the accident until morning, when she found one of the crew clinging to the bottom of the overturned vessel.

The captain of the Baldwin, Geo. Heine of Sturgeon Bay, was picked up this afternoon off Kewaunee by the Goodrich steamer Carolina. The captain had managed to secure life preservers which kept him afloat until found. The third member of the crew, Jake Wiltgen of this city, is missing and is believed to be lost. Tugs have been searching for him without success since morning.

F. J. CARPENTER DIES AT HIS HOME

STEVENS POINT, Wis., Aug. 28.—Assemblyman Fred J. Carpenter, aged 37, died here after an illness of five months. He was a member of the law firm of Park & Carpenter and a prominent Elk. He leaves a mother and two brothers.

Summer Tips for Women.
Next to the white, pale shades with a very light shrimp pink as one of the leaders, are extensively used in the eastern resorts.

This is surely the age of the slender woman. She predominates at all the resorts this season. Over at Atlantic City it is said all the fat women stayed away. At any rate, they are few, as is plain to be seen; what is the secret?

Stout ladies of the 400 have found a new way to quickly take off the extra fat and hold it in check without inconvenience. They have thankfully given up dieting, exercising and the miscellaneous drugging so long in vogue among the overfat, for a simple mixture that is said to give remarkable results, owing to its control of the fat-forming operations of the system. The formula is: Marmola, one-half ounce; Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, one-half ounce; Syrup Simplex, three and one-half ounces; dose a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime. Enthusiastic users claim that this mixture will reduce fat at the rate of a pound a day without causing wrinkles, and has the additional merit of being perfectly harmless. The ingredients are inexpensive and obtainable at any drug store. In order to get the best results, however, the Marmola must be fresh, and so care should be taken to get it in the original unbroken half-ounce package.

TWO KILLED IN PASSENGER WRECK

MADISON ENGINEER AND FIRE-MAN FATALLY INJURED

OTHERS SERIOUSLY HURT

Two Men Are Seriously Injured but Not Fatally—Passengers Were Shaken Up

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 28.—In a head on collision of a Northwestern passenger train running between Madison and Galena, Ill., and a freight train near Millbrig, Ill., nine miles northeast of Galena, two train men were killed and two others and several passengers injured. The dead are:

E. R. THOMPSON, 110 South Blair street, Madison, engineer on the passenger train.

JERRY GALLAGHER, Galena, a fireman on the passenger train. The seriously injured are:

Frank Jaquish, Baraboo, engineer on the freight train; leg crushed so it had to be amputated, and otherwise injured.

John Radke, Baraboo, fireman on the freight train; badly injured about the body.

All of the passengers were severely shaken up, but only one was injured according to the report received here.

Engineer Thompson was hurried to a hospital at Platteville, fifteen miles from the scene of the accident. Both his legs were fractured and he suffered internal injuries. He was married and leaves a family and several children. Gallagher was unmarried and resided with his parents at Galena. Jaquish formerly resided in Madison. His father, H. W. Jaquish, now resides at 1026 Jennifer street, this city. Radke lives at Baraboo and is well known among railroad men of Madison.

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WAUPACA GETS 1910 F.R.A. CONVENTION

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 28.—The Fraternal Reserve association of Wisconsin finished its state convention here today by electing officers for the ensuing year and voting to hold its next meeting at Waupaca in 1910. The following officers were elected:

President—Otto Wiegand, Shawano.

Vice president—Frank H. Allen, Oshkosh.

Secretary—J. S. Hubbard, Beloit.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. M. Allen, Merrill.

Secretary—Mrs. Nellie M. Peerenboom, Grand Rapids.

Delegates to the supreme council—Charles L. Weiss, La Crosse; Dr. J. V. Stevens, Jefferson; Arthur F. Zimmermann, Antigo.

The contest for the next convention was spirited, there being four cities in the field. Waupaca, Eau Claire, Ashland, and Fond du Lac.

COURT SAYS BLIND MAN CAN BE NOISY

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Aug. 28.—William Ray, a blind man who has been vending papers on the streets was found not guilty of violating a special ordinance pertaining to making noise on the street. The contention of the defense was that while the defendant may have made some noise the ordinance was invalid.

LENROOT AT DEDICATION

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Aug. 28.—At the dedication of Luther hospital Sunday, many speakers of note will be present, among them President J. N. Kildal of St. Olaf college, who will deliver the dedication address, and Irvine L. Lenroot who will speak at the outdoor service in the afternoon. The Rev. M. O. Waldal of Meridian, president of the Luther Hospital association, will lay the cornerstone. The hospital was completed a short time ago at a cost of approximately \$50,000.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

MANITOWOC.—It is reported that the Standard Oil company will try to have the injunction order vacated restraining it from building its tanks along the right of way of the Wisconsin Central road.

MARINETTE.—One hundred and twenty-seven patients, the largest number in its history, are being cared for in the county asylum.

SUPERIOR.—On the plea that he was insane at the time he made the transfer of some land, Stephen B. Harding is seeking to have the conveyance set aside.

TWO RIVERS.—Forest fires have been raging in the forests to the northeast of this city, on the shores



ANNOUNCEMENT

To the People of La Crosse and surrounding country, we wish to announce that our new store will be open for business tomorrow.

Saturday, August 29th

We intend to handle a complete line of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, and Hats for persons aged from 8 to 88 years. The celebrated Roxboro System Clothes will be a strong feature and we also expect to specialize on Union Made Suits and Overcoats. We now handle a complete assortment ranging in price from

\$10.00 to \$30.00

We are glad to be back in La Crosse and trust our former patrons will be pleased to hear of our return. The firm has been reorganized and more capital added so we will be enabled to carry complete stocks in all departments. You know that we always were up-to-date and you may rest assured we are going to be strictly up-to-the minute in the new venture. A few of our men's lines are: McKibbin Hats, Eagle Shirts, Vogue Neckwear, Lewis Underwear, Vogue Hosiery, and Corliss Coon Collars. If you want new goods you will find them here. No old stock in the store. We want you all to come in Saturday whether you are ready to buy or not. We are anxious to meet all our old friends and hope to make a lot of new ones. The rearrangement of the store makes it a most inviting place and we want you to get used to coming here for your Clothing wants.

WESTBY CLOTHING CO.

115-117 South Fourth Street.

J. A. WESTBY, Manager

of Lake Michigan.

WATERTOWN.—The Cayo Btinto Park association, which owns fruit lands near the city of Santa Fe, Isle of Pine, has been organized, with E. W. Schultz of this city as president and treasurer. The capital stock is \$25,000.

WAUKESHA.—A warrant was issued for the arrest of John Strube, a quarry laborer at Lannon, charged with an assault on Louise Zahn, 12 year old daughter of Albert Zahn of that village.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Eugene Treacey was appointed postmaster at Saratoga, Wood county, vice Sara Elliott, resigned. Wildemar Jorgenson of Hudson was appointed a clerk at Panama.

ASHLAND.—Because the shopkeeper refused to sell him a pair of shoes on time, Charles Lindeberg took a shoe last and knocked out the shoeman. Lindeberg was fined \$100 and costs.

ASHLAND.—M. S. Hosmer was elected president of the Boosters club of which seventeen of the most prominent citizens are directors.

ASKEATON.—Owing to the excessive heat the clover crop is a total failure, causing thousands of dollars' loss.



Dr. LAGORIO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—After a lifetime's study of the treatment of hydrophobia, Dr. Antonio Lagorio, the eminent expert, is himself a victim of the deadly virus. He is afflicted with the virus of the most dangerous of hydrophobia culture. All the skill and knowledge he has gained in his battles for the lives of others he is now employing in a desperate effort to save his own life. The inoculation was the result of an accident which he suffered while experimenting on the virus of a rabbit that had suffered for eight days with violent rabies. A piece of the animal's skullbone, broken in such shape that it tapered to a needle point, entered the middle finger of his right hand, puncturing the skin and prodding well into the flesh.

Dr. Lagorio was conducting a clinic in the operating room of his hydrophobia study at 228 Dearborn avenue, when the mishap which may cost him his life occurred. He had cut the skull and held it aloft as he discussed the case.

"The skullbone of an animal that has died of hydrophobia swarms with billions of hydrophobia germs," he was saying, and at this point he broke the skull in half for the purpose of making a microscopic demonstration of this fact.

"If you will step forward to the table, gentlemen," he began. And as the students crowded forward the great specialist suddenly dropped the piece of bone to the floor. His face turned pallid and his body shook with emotion. He turned to an assistant and said in quivering voice: "The hypodermic—the antitoxin—"

quick."

The assembled men, many of them physicians, realized what had happened.

At the present time Dr. Lagorio lives in a state of constant fear not knowing what the result will be. He talks freely of his own case and said today:

"I have more than ordinary hope of success in the treatment this time, because I know that the patient will in this instance follow the instructions of the physicians faithfully and that the treatment was begun without delay.

"If I am wrong many physicians have given up life in research and there is a consolation in knowing that all that human aid can do has been done. I have saved many from death who were similarly inoculated and now—now it is 'Physician heal thyself.'"

TRIPP COUNTY, S. D., GOVERNMENT LAND OPENING.

The government opening of a million acres of fine agricultural and grazing lands will probably occur about Oct. 1st. The Rosebud extension of the Chicago & North Western Ry is the only railway reaching these lands, and Dallas, S. D., is the railway terminus and the only town on the reservation border. The U. S. land office will probably be located there. Pamphlets describing this land and how to secure a quarter section homestead, free on application to any agent Chicago & North Western Railway.

DYING MAN EATEN ALIVE.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 28.—Literally eaten alive by red ants which preyed upon his weakened body for three days, Burton R. Jarvis, aged 26, a contractor of 25 Chestnut street, Terre Haute, Ind., succumbed to the awful experience in the county hospital. Jarvis, who was suffering with tuberculosis, started on Sunday to visit the ostrich farm. On the way he fainted.

When he regained consciousness late at night he found himself so weak he could not walk. He tried to attract passersby, but they evidently thought him drunk and paid no attention. Some boys found him and brought food for him with the money he gave them. At last they notified a woman who lived near and she notified the authorities, who rushed the man to the hospital.

The exposure induced pneumonia, which probably caused his death. As he lay half conscious red ants attacked him and there were spots on his body and legs as big as two hands eaten by the insects. When taken to the hospital Jarvis told the doctors of the agony he suffered as the insects swarmed over him and the scornful looks of the passersby when he begged for assistance.

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OSHKOSH HAS BIG HOMECOMING DAY

OSHKOSH, Wis., Aug. 28.—Wednesday was a gala day in Oshkosh. Never in its fifty-five years did the famous capital of Winnebago county see such an outpouring of its own citizens or such an invasion of friends and neighbors, and in no other city in Wisconsin has the great trades parade which was one of the features of the day ever been surpassed.

The parade was nearly four miles long and took almost two hours to pass a given point. While it was passing through the streets the crowds lined the sidewalks so closely that it was impossible for even an individual to break through.

JEFFERSON.—Thomas H. Gibson has brought a \$40,000 damage suit against the Milwaukee-Watertown interurban for alleged injuries following a dynamite explosion while blasting rock on the right of way.

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There are certain mineral medicines which will remove the external symptoms of Contagious Blood Poison, and shut the disease up in the system for awhile, but when the treatment is left off the disease will surely return. Then the loathsome symptoms of ulcerated mouth and throat, copper-colored spots, falling hair, sores and ulcers, etc., are usually worse because the disease has made rapid progress on the internal members, and weakened the constitution and general health of the sufferer. S. S. S. is the only remedy that can be used with perfect safety in the treatment of Contagious Blood Poison, and with the assurance that a lasting cure will result. This medicine, made entirely of roots and herbs of recognized curative and tonic value, antidotes and destroys the powerful virus of the disease, and by purifying the blood of every particle of the poison and enriching and strengthening the circulation, removes every symptom of the trouble. S. S. S. does not hide or cover up the disease in any way, but drives it entirely out from the blood, leaving not the slightest trace for future outbreaks. Home treatment book with valuable information and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write.

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PILOT MARY B. GREEN TO RETIRE



Mrs. Mary B. Green, experienced river pilot, best commander and the only woman to hold licensed papers to command and pilot boats up and down the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, will soon give up the unique life on the water which she has successfully carried out during the past ten years. Mrs. Green for years has been in full charge of the steamer Greenland playing the Ohio river near the head waters of the stream. She saved the boat against a certain destruction when it was torn loose from its moorings in the upper Ohio river by heavy ice floes during the winter of 1897, and commanding the frightened crew to carry out her directions safely landed the craft when all were standing by ready to desert the boat in its danger. Mrs. Green is the wife of Captain Gordon Green, proprietor of the Green line of steamers and she has commanded these boats on the Ohio Mississippi and Kanawha rivers where she is known by every river man.



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in styles that can't fail to satisfy the man with the critical eye. Conservative shapes of course, the kind well dressed men effect. Inside and outside there is evidence of the finest workmanship and finish and they are made of the finest fur felt—soft, springy and silky.

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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

BURGLARS ESCAPE AFTER GUN FIGHT

ELECTRIC ALARM TIPS OFF THEIR PRESENCE

FOUND TIES ON THE TRACK

Timely Discovery of Section Men Prevent Wrecking of Passenger Train at Correctionville

FARGO, N. D., Aug. 28.—Two robbers who were caught in a store at Tower City, this county, escaped after a gun battle with officers and parties surrounding the store.

Their presence in the W. W. King Mercantile company's store was tipped off by the burglar alarm, and Mr. King aroused the officers and neighbors. The men made a break for liberty, going in different directions and firing revolvers. Both escaped, though the posse fired a number of shots, and it is thought they hit one of the men. A small sum of money was secured and inside the store several hundred dollars' worth of goods had been tied up for removal.

CORRECTIONVILLE, Ia., Aug. 28.—Fifteen minutes before the evening Carroll-Sioux City passenger train was due, Northwestern railroad section men returning from work, came upon two heavy timbers across the track two miles east of here.

Section Foreman Tangborn says he and his men saw a man carrying a satchel running into a nearby cornfield, but did not follow him. Whether the attempt to wreck the train was made by a wandering lunatic or by somebody with malicious intent cannot be guessed by railroad men here. A sharp lookout is being kept for fear another attempt would prove more successful. The timbers were placed on the track at a sharp curve and could not have been seen by the engineer until his train was almost upon them.

CHANGES MEETING PLACE

WINONA, Minn., Aug. 28.—Secretary Irwin Shepard of the National Educational association announced that the department of superintendents would meet in Chicago, Feb. 23-24, 1909. The meeting was to have been held in Oklahoma City, but the destruction of a leading hotel there, by fire necessitated a change. Between 1,000 and 1,100 principals, superintendents and college presidents will attend the meeting.

MINERS KILLED BY BLAST

DEADWOOD, S.D., Aug. 28.—J.B. Taylor, one of the best known mining men in the Black Hills and his helper, Chris Miller, were instantly killed at the Burlington mine, near Redfern, a small mining camp thirty-five miles south of here on the Burlington.

The men had stepped into the cage to be raised out of danger of a blast, but a break caused the cage to stick, and the explosion caught them helplessly.

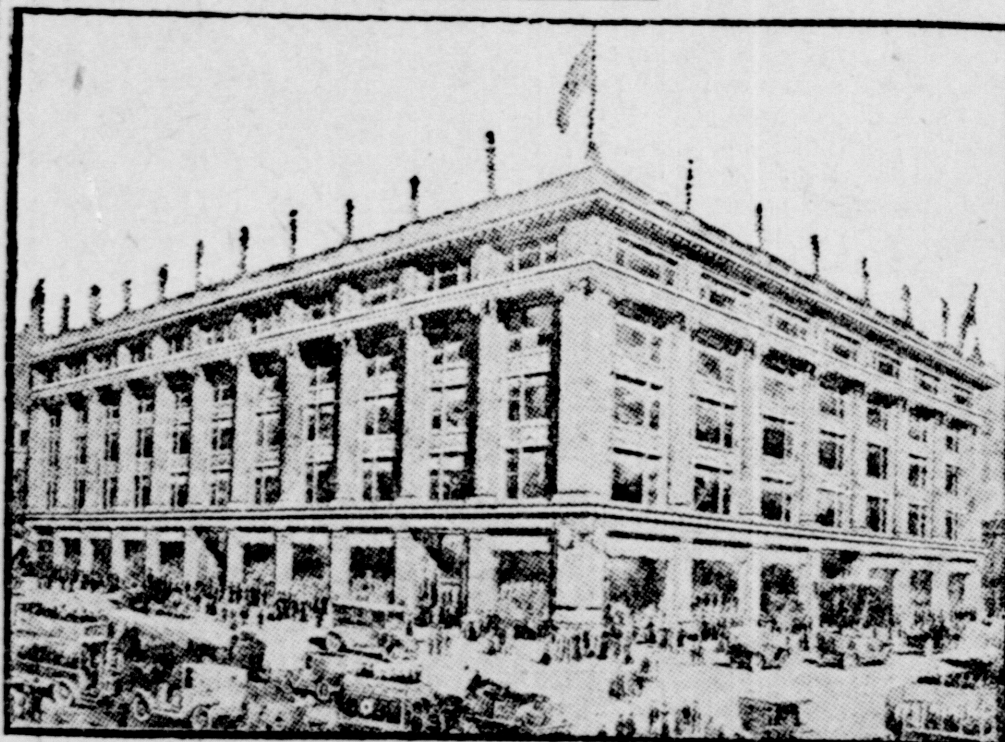
Taylor has been in the hills since 1877, his family living in this city. He was president of the company in whose mine he met his death.

MCLEARY RELIES ON PRESS

MANKATO, Minn., Aug. 28.—Hon. James T. McCleary will make but few speeches in the Second district before the primaries. He will speak Friday evening at Blue Earth and Labor day at Revere. "Open Letter No. 2" is due to make its appearance about next week, and will be published simultaneously in the city and district papers. McCleary relies largely upon the effect of these letters, which will appear about every two weeks for his success.

Many a man who shrinks from the duty that dirties his hands plunges with delight into that which blackens his heart.

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Americans take great pride in the erection by Messrs Selfridge & Company of the largest shop in London. It will stand at the corner of Oxford and Duke streets and will be built of Portland cement and steel throughout. The floor space will cover more than eight acres. There will be six stories above the level of the street and three beneath. It is necessary that the work be completed next year.

LIGHTNING IN A QUEER PRANK

CHANGES FARMER'S BLOOD PRACTICALLY TO WATER

ACTION OF THE ELECTRICITY

Powerful Heart Stimulant and Medicines Build Up His Blood and He is Now on Road to Recovery

CORRECTIONVILLE, Iowa Aug. 28. Peter Nelson, a farmer three miles northeast of this town, is glad he is alive. He was leading a horse into the barn the other evening just as a furious local storm broke. A bolt of lightning killed the animal. Mr. Nelson was knocked to the barn floor, and his blood practically turned to water by the usual action of a strong current of electricity. The administration of a powerful heart stimulant and medicines to build up his blood have put him well on the road to recovery.

WEDS SHOW PLANIST

IOWA FALLS, Iowa, Aug. 28.—The melodies from a piano in a moving picture show, played now softly and sweetly as some love scene was depicted, now boldly as the silders marched by or the battle raged—each selection fitting the picture shown—gave Herbert Black of Webster City, manager of a show, a deep interest in the fair play, Miss Laura Robinson. Before long there was another love scene, animated enough but not portrayed on the moving picture canvas. It was the first of a series that culminated last evening in the marriage of Mr. Black and Miss Robinson at the home of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Eva Simplot in this city. The couple will reside in Kansas.

REWARD FOR GIRL'S ASSAILANT

MANKATO, Minn., Aug. 28.—Almond Salisbury of Willow Creek was in the city and after consultation with the authorities offered a reward of \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the unknown man who chloroformed and assaulted his daughter, Miss Edith Salisbury, twenty-two years old, last week.

WAGON ROLLS OVER HEAD

WATERLOO, Iowa, Aug. 28.—Though two wheels of a heavy wagon passed over the head of the 10-year-old son of Peter Jensen, Wednesday afternoon, the boy still lives. The father was ready to start for Cedar Falls with a load of barley when the child fell from a seat and the wagon passed over his head.

BODY HEAD FIRST IN CREEK

SIoux CITY, Iowa, Aug. 28.—J. M. George fell from the Milwaukee bridge across Perry Creek, struck his head upon a cross beam of the bridge and died instantly. The police found him standing on his head in the water.

BARS CIGARETTE SMOKERS

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 28.—F. B. Easley, superintendent of Rock Island railroad, issued a bulletin notifying employees that cigarette smoking will not be permitted and the violators will be discharged.

USE KITES FOR SCARECROWS.

NEENAH, Wis., Aug. 28.—To protect his chickens on his large poultry farm in the town of Menasha, Jacob Werner, has adopted a unique scheme. He keeps several large box kites flying above his farm and the hawks, which are numerous, are afraid of the uncanny looking birds. Werner noticed the rapid flight of the hawks from the vicinity when his son flew a kite.

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12 pieces 27 in. Imitation Wool Plaids and Mixtures, some very nobby effects and desirable colorings, has the effect of the 25 and 35c goods.

12½¢ Yard

Crash

18 in. Unbleached Linen finish crash blue border, has been sold and is sold today by many merchants at 6 and 6½¢ yard. We will sell a bunch of it Saturday

4¢ Yard

Flannels

500 yards Arnolds' 36 in. Superfine Kimona Flannels, in mill shorts, all nicely stitched and ticketed piece price on the cloth 19¢ yard, this lot for

12½¢ Yard

Ginghams

500 yards, the best grade of the 12½¢ ginghams in lengths 10 to 20 yards, will cut them to suit, all the best colorings and little even blue and pink checks.

9¢ Yard

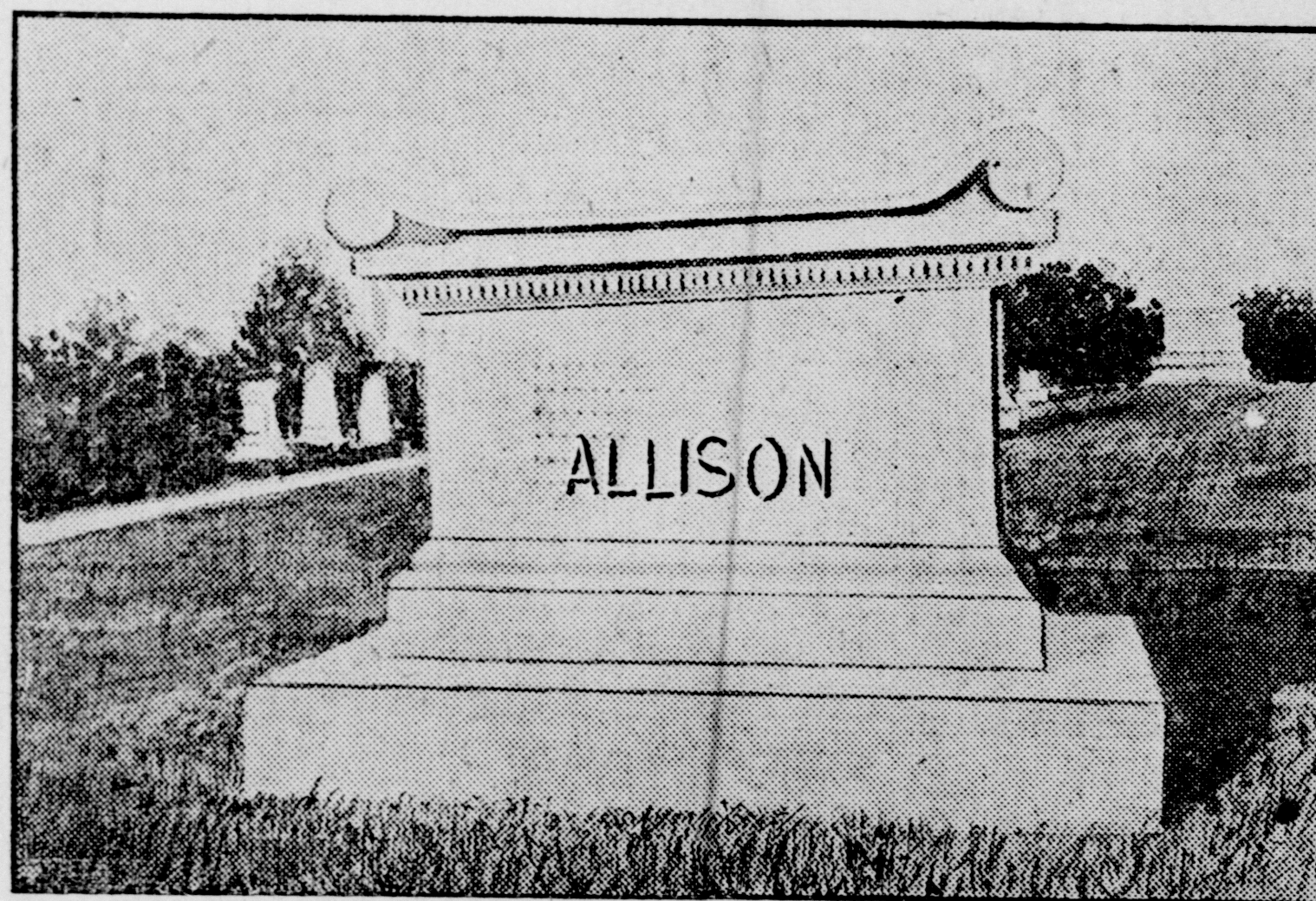
MUSLIN UNDERWEAR DEPT.

Lot of Children H. S. Ruffle Drawers, sizes 2 to 8 years, all flat seams, no raw edges anywhere in the garment, 4 worked button-holes, pair10c

Lot of Children H. S. Ruffle Petticoats, made from fine Cambric, finished with same care and workmanship12½c
See the Window.

New goods are arriving by every fast freight from the east, each day you visit the store, fresh goods await you—come often and get acquainted with us—and our way of pricing goods—every article marked in plain figures.

WHERE SENATOR ALLISON WAS LAID TO SLEEP



DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 27.—The last resting place of the late Senator Allison is marked only by a simple granite family tombstone with the one word "Allison" inscribed thereon. It is grand in its simplicity, as was the life of the beloved senator.

SCHOOL DAYS, SCHOOL DAYS,
DEAR OLD GOLDEN RULE DAYS.
RED SCHOOL HOUSE SHOES,
RED SCHOOL HOUSE SHOES,
THE ONLY SHOES FOR ME
I'VE TRIED THEM ALL,
I'VE WORN THEM ALL.
RED SCHOOL HOUSE SHOES DO
BEAT THEM ALL.
FOR WEAR AND TEAR AND KICK
THE BALL,
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ROW :: CALIFORNIA
AND COLORADO PEARS

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Hear Ye!

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charm.
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"Your husband will be all right
now," said an English doctor to a
woman whose husband was danger-
ously ill.
"What do you mean?" demanded
the wife. "You told me 'e couldn't
live a fortnight."
"Well, I'm going to cure him, af-
ter all," said the doctor. "Surely,
you are glad?"
The woman wrinkled her brows.
"Put me in a bit of an 'ole," she
said. "I've been an' sold all' is
clothes to pay for 'is funeral!"—Ev-
erybody's Magazine.

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DIAMONDS -:- DIAMONDS

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PERSONALS

Pfund's own (make chocolates.
Miss Nora Osterthum of Beaver
Dam is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo.
Frey, in La Crosse.
Miss Ida Sletke is visiting Miss
Mattie Mattison at Black River Falls.
Mrs. Jefferson of this city is visit-
ing friends in La Crosse.
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
Miss Christie Dahold and sister,
Mrs. F. Stellingware, are visiting
friends in Hokah.
Miss Eleanor Whiting of this city
visited in Hokah last week.
Minnie Elfeson has returned to
her home at Oak Ridge after visit-
ing friends in La Crosse.
Miss Emma Nelson has returned
to her home at Oak Ridge after visit-
ing friends in La Crosse.
Harvest dance, Camp 360 M. W.
of A., Saturday evening, August 29,
1908, Linker Building. Opera
House Orchestra.
C. V. Whitehouse of Caledonia,
Minn., was in La Crosse on business
Friday.
Miss Stella Gallagher is the guest
of Mrs. Healy at Caledonia, Minn.
Misses Agnes and Mildred Berg
are visiting friends in Caledonia.
Arnold Amold of Caledonia was in
La Crosse last week.
Excellent Carriage Line. Phone
179 Gateway City Transfer Line.
Mrs. A. C. Abrahamson visited in
Caledonia during the week.
Miss Genevieve Newhouse of
Spring Grove visited friends in La
Crosse last week.
After a few days' visit with friends
here Mrs. Oscar Finagan has re-
turned to her home in Spring Grove.
T. T. Bergh of La Crosse was in
Spring Grove during the week.
Mrs. Hinkley of this city visited
friends in Spring Grove last week.
Dr. George Powell, consulting phy-
sician and surgeon.
Prof. Packman has returned to
La Crosse after a business trip to
Spring Grove.
Misses Anna and Ella Referson
were La Crosse callers last week.
Miss Borghild Verket of this city
is visiting friends in Spring Grove.
Mrs. Oliver Omgard of Spring
Grove was in La Crosse Wednesday
morning.
Dr. T. H. McGovern of Osseo, Wis.,
will locate in La Crosse.
The fall term of the Keefe Busi-
ness College, corner Sixth and Vine
streets, will begin Sept. 1, 1908. Best
school, lowest tuition. Get our plan
of easy payments.
Edith Thompson and Mamie Mad-
land have returned home after a
short visit at Owen, Minn.
Guy Masterson of La Crosse is
visiting at the home of Dannie Ma-
loney at Owen, Minn.
John Lee of Waukon visited his
son Ralph, who is ill at the St.
Francis hospital.
Miss Kathryn Buckley of Waukon
is receiving treatment at the St.
Francis hospital.
H. M. Rollins has returned from
a visit with friends at Preston.
Mrs. Joseph McGrath and Miss
Hannah Byrns of Harper's Ferry were
visitors in La Crosse this week.
Miss Floy Cleveland of Dubuque
left last evening for her home after
a two weeks' visit at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kidder, 142
South Seventh street.
Branch R. Schulze, manager of the
branch of the Stollwreck Chocolate
company, is in the city today on busi-
ness.
W. Edelman of Stillwater is in the
city for a few days on a business mis-
sion.
Mrs. H. L. Kritsch of Milwaukee is
spending a few days in the city with
relatives.
Miss Maud Fancett has returned
to her home in Mabel after spending
a few days in the city with friends.
Miss Dora Lillivian has returned
to her home in Rock Island after
visiting relatives and friends in the
city.
Dr. C. H. Farrand has returned
from his vacation and will be in his
office to resume his practice Mon-
day.
Dr. C. C. Clemens has sold his
boat to Dr. Schluyter. Dr. Clemens
expects to purchase a new craft next
season.
Ray Hisecox and Willard Olson are
preparing to break camp above the
Milwaukee draw, where they have
been in their houseboat since early
June.
Miss Edna Denney has returned
from a two weeks' vacation.
One morning last spring, little
Ruth, aged seven, was watching a
meadow lark in the adjoining field,
and listening to his song. In a little
while she came running into the
house to her mother and said:
"Mother, he wasn't a bit afraid! He
looked at me and then turned
around and sang another verse."

SOCIETY

A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE
Mrs. Geo. Wheeler was a guest of
honour Tuesday at a birthday surprise
given in her honor by Mrs. Leonard
Kleeber. Five hundred was played
during the afternoon. The prizes
were taken by Mrs. Fred Rogers and
Mrs. Fred Phillips. The guests pre-
sented Mrs. Wheeler with a hand-
some fern and jardiner. Those pre-
sent were Mesdames John Palmer,
Fred Rogers, Fred Treary, C. A.
Hunt, B. A. Smith, Will Smith, Frank
Davis, E. H. Derr, Fred Phillips,
Griesdale and Miss Jessie Bigelow.
Wednesday afternoon Miss Bar-
bara Brown entertained three tables
at bridge in honor of Miss Margery
MacHaffie. Those present were the
Misses Grace and Ruth Heath, Hen-
rietta and Katherine Martindale,
Mary, Hattie and Agnes Anderson,
Margaret Farnam, Margaret Crosby,
Miss MacHaffie and Miss Barbara
Brown.
Mrs. A. L. McIntosh entertained
two tables at bridge yesterday in
honor of her guests, Mrs. Clara Fan-
ning of Sparta and Mrs. Everett
Barnes of Rockford, Ill.
MRS. DORSET AND MISS COLWELL
ENTERTAIN FOR MAC HAFFIES
Mrs. C. P. Dorset and Miss Colwell
gave a charming reception last eve-
ning. The event was complimentary
to Mr. and Mrs. MacHaffie and
daughter, Miss Margery MacHaffie of
China. The invited guests were most-
ly old friends and schoolmates of
Mrs. MacHaffie and those who had
shown her attention during her stay
in the city.
It was a delightful gathering, and
it was exceedingly pleasant to meet
so many of the old friends. It was an
informal affair and greatly enjoyed
on that account. The rooms were
prettily decorated with the early fall
flowers which were a delight to the
eye. The color scheme in the dining
room was red, and was carried out
with red carnations intermingled
with white carnations and green fol-
lage. Miss Margery MacHaffie and
Miss Hattie Anderson presided at the
table serving ice cream and were as-
sisted by Miss Henrietta Martindale
and Miss Helen Anderson. A group
of young girls consisting of the Mis-
ses Grace and Ruth Heath and Bar-
bara Brown served the punch. The
ladies who assisted about the rooms
were Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Mrs. Or-
lando Holway and the Misses Hogan.
Among the guests from out of the
city were Mr. Lotteridge and Mrs.
Hope McElowney of West Salem,
Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. McCoun of
Kansas City and Mrs. A. G. Paul of
Watertown, Fla.

WHY WE SLEEP

If it were always daylight we should
never sleep. So says a scientist.
There is no particular reason why we
or any other animals should rest on
an average eight or nine hours a day.
The period of rest has been deter-
mined by the fact that eight hours is
the average time when there is a lack
of sufficient light to enable us to move
about in comfort.
This most fundamental distinction
between day and night is wholly rel-
ative to the sense of sight. It only af-
fects those types of life which have
developed eyes.
Plants, being dependent for their
growth upon the action of rays of
sunlight which fall upon their leaves,
have a wide distinction between day
and night functions. They eat and
digest in the light and grow during
the hours of darkness.
The lowest forms of animal life—the
slightest denizens of ocean depths—
do not rest at regular intervals. They
prowl around incessantly, seeking
prey by the sense of touch alone.
When they rest it is at irregular pe-
riods. In other words, they have no
distinct periodicity of their own.
But as soon as eyes are developed,
and in proportion of this development,
animals begin to divide their time into
two main portions—a waking and a
sleeping time. While there is light
they perform all motive functions.
When darkness comes they retire to
nest or lair to rest.—Cleveland Plain
Dealer.

Chinese Athletics.

The Chinese have always had athlet-
ic exercises of a sort in which they
have rather prided themselves, though
none ever seem to have taken such a
hold on the nation as ours have on us
during the last century or so. They
have plenty of stories of strong men
capable of wielding extraordinary
weapons, of bending wondrous bows or
of lifting heavy weights, etc.
Even within the last few years feats
of archery were done before an officer
could get his commission in the army,
and in almost any village there is a
bamboo with a pierced stone at either
end to test the strength of the rising
generation in lifting. But there was
nothing of regular athletic training, ex-
cept for a few wrestlers perhaps, be-
fore foreigners came.—Shanghai Mer-
cury.

A Strong Hint.

They had met for the first time since
their schooldays and were telling each
other of their professional careers.
"And how did you come to leave the
stage?" asked one.
"I had a hint that I was not suited
for it."
"I see. The little birds told you,
eh?"
"Well, no; not exactly. But they
might have been birds had they been
allowed to hatch."

IRVINE

REAL ROSE HAT PINS.

These hat pins are made out of
live roses, grown in Oregon and
Washington, famous the world
over for their beauty and superi-
ority—and by a secret process
have been changed into metal, re-
taining all their natural beauty.
Being made out of real roses,
there are no two alike.

W. T. IRVINE
Agency for La Crosse,
See the Roses in our show window

THE NEW
EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE

OPP. CATHEDRAL REIMAN and TORDT OPP. CATHEDRAL

The New Fall Garments are being shown here in most extraordinary quantities. While we are perhaps not quite as persistent in making statements regarding our garments, we feel that you can readily see upon an investigation that what we are doing is always a little better than you can do elsewhere, when you consider quality, style, fit and workmanship. We here quote you some very exceptional

VALUES FOR SATURDAY

NEW VOILE SKIRTS
Particularly interesting are the styles shown here, besides all are of fine qualities only. See those that we have priced at
\$7.95, \$10, 12.50 \$12.95
\$13.95, \$14.95 & \$16.50

NEW WASH WAISTS
Neat tailored waists made of plain linen, also of madras in plain and fancy effects and the pretty plaid styles. These are priced at
\$1.39, \$1.50, \$1.69, 1.89
\$1.98, \$2.25 and \$2.50

NEWEST FALL SUITS
We make mention of our very strong suit lines as almost every style that is absolutely correct is here for your choosing. We only ask that you see them. For Saturday special at
\$18.50, \$20, \$22.50, \$25

SHERIFF SELBY
FEEDS OUTCAST

MAN DRIVEN FROM LA CROSSE
BY POLICE CARED FOR

LA CRESCENT OFFICER KIND

Does Not Believe in Being so Mean,
but Residents Have an Objection
to Chasing Bums onto Them

Deputy Sheriff Selby of La Cres-
cent does not believe in adopting the
harsh methods of the La Crosse peo-
ple in ridding his village of bums. In-
stead of proding them with a sharp
stick the official of the Minnesota
village feeds them, gives a few words
of encouragement and helps them on
to their destination.
La Crescent people are demanding
a law which will prevent La Crosse
police from chasing all the bad char-
acters who happen to strike this city,
toward their village, and find strenu-
ous objection to this custom. The
La Crescent correspondent of the
Hokah Chief says:
"Crazy Man Reported
"Deputy Sheriff Selby received a

Patronize a Home
Industry

The Packing House Markets. We carry in
stock the choicest cuts of all kinds of meats and
sausages. All U. S. Government inspected.

LANGDON-BOYD PACKING CO.

phone message from La Crosse last
Wednesday, stating a crazy man was
down by the old ice house on the
La Crescent road, and was scaring
people out of their houses, and
wanted him to go after him. And be-
fore the sheriff got started another
message came saying the police of
La Crosse had been over and drove
the man toward La Crescent. And as
reported the man arrived in town
and was interviewed by the sheriff,
who took him in charge and question-
ed him about himself and he said

the police of La Crosse picked him
up and put him in the lockup and
kept him there for three days, and
then run him across the bridge; and
as the man seemed to be rational the
sheriff gave him a lunch and started
him west as he wanted to go to
Wells, Minn. La Crosse police are in
the habit of running tramps over the
bridge into Minnesota for us to feed
and take care of, especially if they
have no money to pay a fine. We
wish there might be a law enacted
to compel our neighbors to keep
their tramps and bums on their own
side of the river, as we have plenty
of our own to look after."

LITTLE JOURNEYS TO SUMMER
HOMES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE



Gov. A. B. Cummins of Iowa.
DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 28.—
Gov. A. B. Cummins of Iowa, who
has gained a national reputation be-
cause of his advocacy of progressive
principles, including tariff revision,
publicity of campaign funds, election
of United States senators by direct
vote, etc., is a great home man.
But he has no summer home, so
to speak. His pleasant home in Des
Moines, located on one of the most
attractive drives of the city, serves
well as a summer home. It is elab-
orately furnished and bountifully
supplied with books. This is one of
the attractions that keeps the gov-
ernor at home during his vacation
months. He is a student and reader
and enjoys the library he has gath-
ered.
Governor Cummins is not a great
hunter or fisher. His sport has been
exclusively a national reputation be-
cause of his advocacy of progressive
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HENRY SCHROEDER
KILLS BIG RATTLER

Henry Schroeder, living on
the abattoir road, yesterday
killed a 12-year-old rattlesnake
near his home, after an exciting
experience with the reptile.
The snake "blowed" and jump-
ed at him, but Mr. Schroeder
succeeded in dispatching it with
the assistance of another man
who was with him. The snake
had nine rattles and was 3 feet
and 3 inches long.

Little Carl, six years old, had been
teased a great deal by his uncle
about the vacation he would choose
when he became a man. One day he
overheard his mother and a caller
talking about a certain gentleman
being a bachelor. When the caller
left, his mother noticed that he was
unusually quiet and seemed to be in
a deep study. Finally he said to her,
"Mamma, is a bachelor a good
trade?"

There are many fine things to ad-
mire in the human family. One of
the finest is the manner in which all
the children of a family love the
baby. And the tough boy of the fam-
ily becomes tender and patient
when the baby is around.

"Before we were married," said
Mrs. Chatterton, "you used to tell
me how much you loved me, but you
never do now." "Of course not, my
dear," replied the masculine of the
matrimonial combine. "Since our
marriage you haven't given me a
chance to tell you anything."

A GOOD SET
of Brains
Can be kept in good condition
best by

Grape-Nuts

FOOD
which contains the material to
make good brain cells—it is
made by a Food Expert from
wheat and barley.
"There's a Reason"

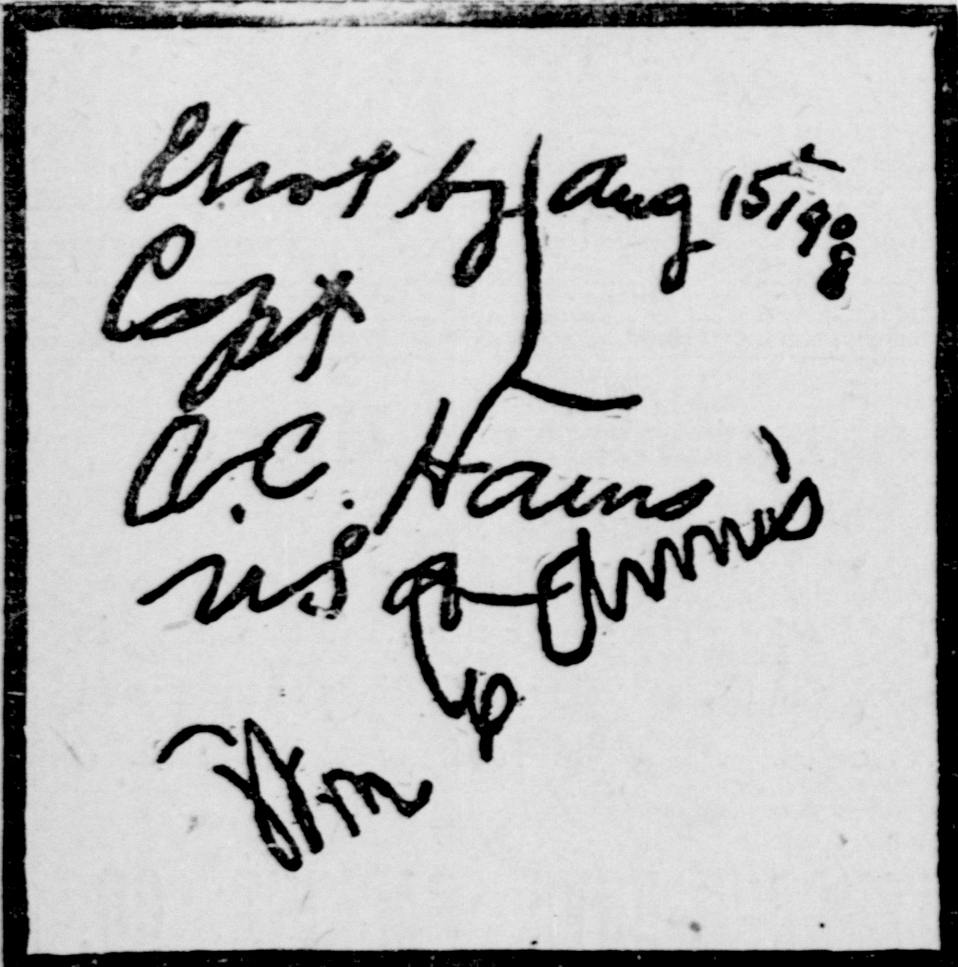
against mosquitoes. He has a beauti-
ful home and it is there he delights
in spending his summer months.
This same home has been the
scene of many delightful social af-
fairs. Besides being a summer home
for the family, it becomes a social
center in the mid-winter season. Dur-
ing legislative sessions Mrs. Cum-
mins has entertained every week
with an open house. There are many
invited affairs also at the Cummins
home.



CHARLES H. RAWLINSON

This active young republican is a candidate for his party's renomination for county clerk before the primary next Tuesday. He has been closely identified with the enterprises of the republican organization for a number of years, and has contributed materially to its achievements. Courteous and efficient official service has won him friends throughout the county, and his election by a large majority is predicted by astute observers of political and public affairs.

DEATH MESSAGE OF WILLIAM E. ANNIS



At the Hospital the victim of the Hains assault wrote the note which is reproduced, showing over his own signature that William E. Annis was shot by Captain Peter C. Hains, U. S. A., August 15, 1908.

FALLS THROUGH AN OPEN TRAP DOOR

W. A. Marsh, a delivery man at Bert Lewis' grocery store, fell down into the basement of Rennebohm's grocery store yesterday and sustained injuries that will lay him up for a week or 10 days at least. Marsh was going to change a sack of flour at Rennebohm's and went to the rear of the store to get the flour but did not notice the open trap-door. Rennebohm was busy waiting on a customer and called to Marsh to look out for the cellar door just as Marsh fell. Rennebohm rushed to Marsh's assistance and found that he had a bad cut above his eye and his left hand was severely cut besides a bad shaking up. The injured man was taken to Dr. Egan's office where his wounds were dressed and he was removed to his home. He is resting easily this morning.

When a man begins to burn his money look out for a hot time.

REYNOLDS BEFORE COURT FOR LETTERS

Charles E. Reynolds, arrested on the North side for sending threatening letters to girls with whom he was not acquainted, is on trial before Judge Brindley this afternoon.

BALL GAME TOMORROW.

The Batavian National Bank Baseball team will meet the Gunds Peerless team on the latter's grounds Saturday afternoon. As each team has won one game, Saturday's game will decide which is the better team. Following is the Bankers' line-up: H. Davis, c; E. Knothe, p; B. Schult, 1b; C. Smith, 2b; G. Hacker, 3b; E. Anderson, ss; A. Capellan, rf; E. Dowd, lf; B. Davis, cf.

A friend asked little Hilda how she liked going to school. "I like the going and the coming," she replied, "but I don't like the staying."



Boy's & Girl's School Shoes

Better prepared than ever to supply the children with the most serviceable, and honest made school shoes. The variety of styles and kinds enables a most satisfactory choice, and as for prices, well, you know Batchelder's reputation for money-saving prices.

School Begins Tuesday, September 1

Better not delay but come tomorrow or Monday and give us an opportunity to show you our splendid stock of shoes at prices that will prove decidedly interesting to you.



Batchelder & Son

303—MAIN STREET—303

TROOPS TO PUT LID ON ATLANTIC CITY

GOVERNOR OF NEW JERSEY THREATENS DRASTIC ACTION

SAYS LAW MUST BE OBEYED

Grand Jury Probe a Burlesque—Special Session of Legislature May be Called

SEA GIRT, N. J., Aug. 28.—Unless the lid is on tight in Atlantic City next Sunday troops will be called out to put the resort under martial law.

This is the text of a drastic proclamation issued by Gov. Fort, whose efforts to close saloons and cafes on the Sabbath have not been successful.

A sensation has been created at Atlantic City by the apparent seriousness of the governor. Until now his attitude was regarded lightly and the grand jury, which is in session at May's Landing, failed to return indictments against men accused of violating the Sunday closing law.

Grand Jurors Violate Law
Gov. Fort, in his proclamation, ridicules the fiasco of ten days ago, when a grand jury refused to find indictments and say that the action was a burlesque, that three members of the grand jury were owners of saloons in Atlantic City and that the others were in sympathy with the violators of the law. The grand jury now in session is not likely to find indictments, the governor declares, and in his proclamation he states that he has affidavits from James C. Steelman and William Reeves Winthers stating that they purchased liquors last Sunday in saloons operated by three members of the grand jury.

Martial Law Only Remedy
The governor says he can see but one of two things to do under the circumstances.

First, call out the militia and police of Atlantic City and declaring the resort to be under martial law. This would require an appropriation by the legislature.

Second, he will ask a special session of the legislature to enact special legislation authorizing him to appoint a disinterested commission to take charge of the affairs of Atlantic City. He also wants a law authorizing him to remove officers, after a hearing, for failure to perform or who wilfully refuse to do their duty.

Unable at first to agree on how many ships to include in the welcoming escort, the government finally solved the question by deciding that every available battleship, cruiser and auxiliary vessel should participate in the spectacle, which is intended to be the most imposing ever seen in the Orient.

Japan will utilize the occasion for a series of naval maneuvers before the arrival of the fleet.

The first reserve squadron has been commissioned to entertain the visiting fleet during a secondary series of maneuvers. Japan's reception and entertainment plans are being arranged on a magnificent scale and no hint of resentment is heard at the anti-Japanese feeling that was manifested in the American fleet's tour of Australian ports.

LA CROSSE OPENS WITH REDS TODAY

The La Crosse team arrived this morning at 3:30 from Pardeville, where they fell yesterday. The team however, is in good condition and Manager Hawley is optimistic over the series opening this afternoon. Watson will probably be chosen to work in the first game against the "Reds" while Slapnicka will throw for Rockford. Empire Guthrie accompanied the team on its trip from Fond du Lac and will officiate in the Rockford series.

STRIKE HANGS ON

WINNIPEG, Aug. 28.—No definite movement has developed in settling the Canadian Pacific strike, though rumors of a compromise are general. The strikers have not received the United States, though it is said it will be paid Sept. 15th.

Many strike breakers are being brought in, but the rolling stock of the company is in bad shape and the engineers are getting restless, refusing to pull out trains unless improvements are made in the conditions of engines, cars, etc. Meantime grain is moving rapidly, though some freight is being turned over to competing lines.

FAILURE UNIMPORTANT.
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The suspension of the firm of H. W. Davis was announced at the consolidated stock exchange at 10:30. The failure is unimportant, as the firm is insignificant.

Wagg—"I wonder why the brewers don't form a trust?" Wagg—"Oh, I suppose it is because they are always at larger heads."



The real victims of the shot which Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., U. S. A., killed William E. Annis, are the children involved in the tragedy. Captain Hains' son, Hamilton Hains, aged 7, is shown at the upper left hand corner. At the right is shown Howard Annis, aged 8 years, and below is William Annis, aged 8 years.

KERMIT SAVES THREE LIVES.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Kermit Roosevelt, who is to accompany his father, President Roosevelt, on his hunting trip to the African jungles next year, displayed his courage and his skill as a horseman yesterday afternoon. On horseback he pursued for more than a mile a pair of runaway blooded horses dragging behind them a carriage in which was a helpless woman and her two little sons. By stopping the runaway, at the risk of serious injury to himself, he undoubtedly saved the three lives.

Frank Hilton, a New York business man, arrived here and was met by his wife and her two sons in the carriage. On the way home they attempted to pass a disabled automobile and the wheel of the carriage struck a post. The shock threw Mr.



Hilton out and the horses ran away. Kermit Roosevelt, out for a ride, was a few hundred feet behind and immediately gave chase. After repeated efforts, at danger to himself, he succeeded in stopping the team.

HONOR FOR AMERICAN PRELATE

ROME, Aug. 28.—Rev. D. J. McMackin of New York has been appointed propositus in the process of the beautification of Pope Pius IX. Cardinal Cretoni, prefect of the congregation of rights and indulgences, has received a mysterious and intimation to suspend the process of beautification from a man named Falconieri, who claims to be the heir to properties fraudulently taken from his family by Pope Pius IX. This action, Falconieri writes, shows that Pius IX, did not possess the virtue necessary for beautification.



The housewife who aspires to have a full pickle and preserve closet begins early in the spring and as each fruit or vegetable comes along, she places a sample, ample or otherwise, on her shelves. The early berries are gone and she keeps her eyes open for "something different." Plums are a temptation, and as they are not acceptable to many as plain canned fruit, she might try:

Pickled Plums.
Pack jars with any rather tart plums, sprinkling bits of stick cinnamon, cloves and now and then a small shred of mace. Have all ready a syrup made in the proportion of four pounds of sugar to one quart of vinegar. During the pickle season it is wise to have a large quantity of this syrup, rather thick, always on hand, as it saves time. Fill the jars with the syrup, place in the preserving kettle on a thick cloth, fill the kettle with cold water as for canning, and bring to a boil. Have rubber rings already on, and tops screwed lightly in place. After 20 minutes' boiling remove from the kettle of water, tightening rings, and they are ready to set away. This does away with the old method of reheating the vinegar several times and pouring over, which was simply a method of cooking long enough without destroying the shape of the fruit. The same method can be used with sweet pickled peaches. Melon sweet pickles, however, must be made differently, as they require more cooking to make them tender, and more manipulation to make them good. The old methods of soaking water melon rinds in salt for three days, then after freshening in cold water, was a long and tedious process, but at the same time in no other way could the wild flavor be removed. A later method of preserving is as follows:

Melon Preserves.
Cut off all the green rind and see that none of the soft pulp is left. The white part may be cut into fancy shapes if one chooses, but it is a waste of time. Small slices have been found the most palatable. Soak overnight in a mixture of vinegar and water in equal parts. Drain off next day and preserve in the proportion of a pound to each two pounds of fruit. A lemon sliced for each two pounds adds to the flavor. The fruit must simmer slowly till it is a clear golden color, and the syrup is thick. Will keep in unsealed stone jars.

It is hardly necessary to give recipes for tomatoes, but if you have never tried the lard method, perhaps it would be well to try it now. In the day when lard was not so high it was an easy and inexpensive way to have fresh tomatoes when the snow was flying. Now it is not quite so inexpensive, but even now it will make winter tomatoes cheaper than hot house tomatoes, and a whole lot better.

Select very fine, smooth tomatoes with skins unbroken. This last is

imperative or you will have a failure. Pour melted paraffin in the hollow left by stem. Melt a layer of lard in the bottom of a stone jar. When cold, place your tomatoes on it, not allowing them to touch. Pour softened lard over them, and place where this layer will harden. Continue till the top of the jar is reached, cover with a paraffined paper and a plate weighted, and place in a dry cool place. To use, wipe off the lard, scald and remove skin, and serve as any fresh tomato.

Canning Tomatoes
If you have trouble in keeping canned tomatoes try this method. Select small tomatoes that will go into the cans whole, peel only enough to fill two cans at a time. Have a kettle full of tomatoes simmered to a pulp and strained. When this pulp is boiling drop in your tomatoes and cook until tender, lift carefully into the cans, fill with the boiling juice and seal in the usual way. These retain their flavor better than if salt is added while cooking.

If the pantry is large enough it will save time and temper to go over the list of spices, sugar, vinegar, etc., that will be used during the catsup making and preserving season and see that everything is of the best and that the supply is adequate. It is no economy to buy bargains in spices. The best is the only rule. Brown sugar and white should be bought in quantities to last through the season. The different kinds of vinegars carefully labelled. Tarragon vinegar and dill vinegar can both be made at home by simply boiling the leaves in the vinegar. All these things if done when there is a rift in busy housekeepers' days will save her much worry and loss of time, and that is the great thing in doing housework. Make your head save your feet is one of the wise old sayings that our grandmothers have handed down to us, but most of us seem to think that means "get out of as much as you can." To get through the housework, season after season, with the least worry and the most success watch the corners and keep everlastingly at it. I do not mean work all the time but to keep all the small matter up all the time and put your mind into your work when you are doing it. I always look with suspicion on the story of the woman who has a book over the sink or a newspaper pinned up beyond the ironing board. I do not think she ever did anything well. She would much better get her mind on her work and get it done and out of the way and then read or study, but I have shrewd suspicion that she was deceiving herself into the belief that she was not neglecting the work while cultivating her mind, and perhaps she felt a little vanity over her struggle not to drop out of the literary lists, else how do we come to hear of her? One thing at a time and put your mind and heart in it and you will get the best results for yourself and those about you.

S. A. Cook's Promise of a Square Deal

In accepting the call of over 25,000 voters of Wisconsin to become a candidate for United States Senator, Hon. S. A. Cook said among other things:

Whatever my attitude in public or private life has been in the past, it has been assumed and performed conscientiously and with good intent by me, and I have no apology to offer for it.

I make no bid for any man's vote for my personal benefit only; nor do I desire to round out or end my life work in Washington.

As your candidate I will go direct to the voters of the state with the request that they carefully consider the situation and the men they are asked to vote for, as to what is best for their own interests, not forgetting the consideration due their fellow men, as no man can build and maintain a position long by tearing down the good name or legitimate business of others.

If the nomination shall fall upon me, and I am elected by the legislature, I will not forget that I am a citizen of Wisconsin, a state whose welfare is dear to the heart of every loyal citizen within its borders. I will not forget that I, together with my worthy colleague, have been chosen to represent in the United States senate all the people of Wisconsin regardless of their political affiliation or religious belief, each alike in his own legitimate industry, whether it be the corporations, the banks, farmers, merchants, manufacturers, railroad companies, or the men who, by the sweat of their brows daily earn sustenance of life for themselves and their families.

I have no fear to do that which is right as God and my fellow men show me the right.

If my life work, which is an open book that I invite careful and rigid inspection of, will not bear me out as a safe person to represent in our national congress the people and varied industries of Wisconsin, you will choose some other for the position; and I trust you will find me, as in the past, keeping right on helping in what is for the good name of the state, and assisting my fellow man as far as in my power to do.

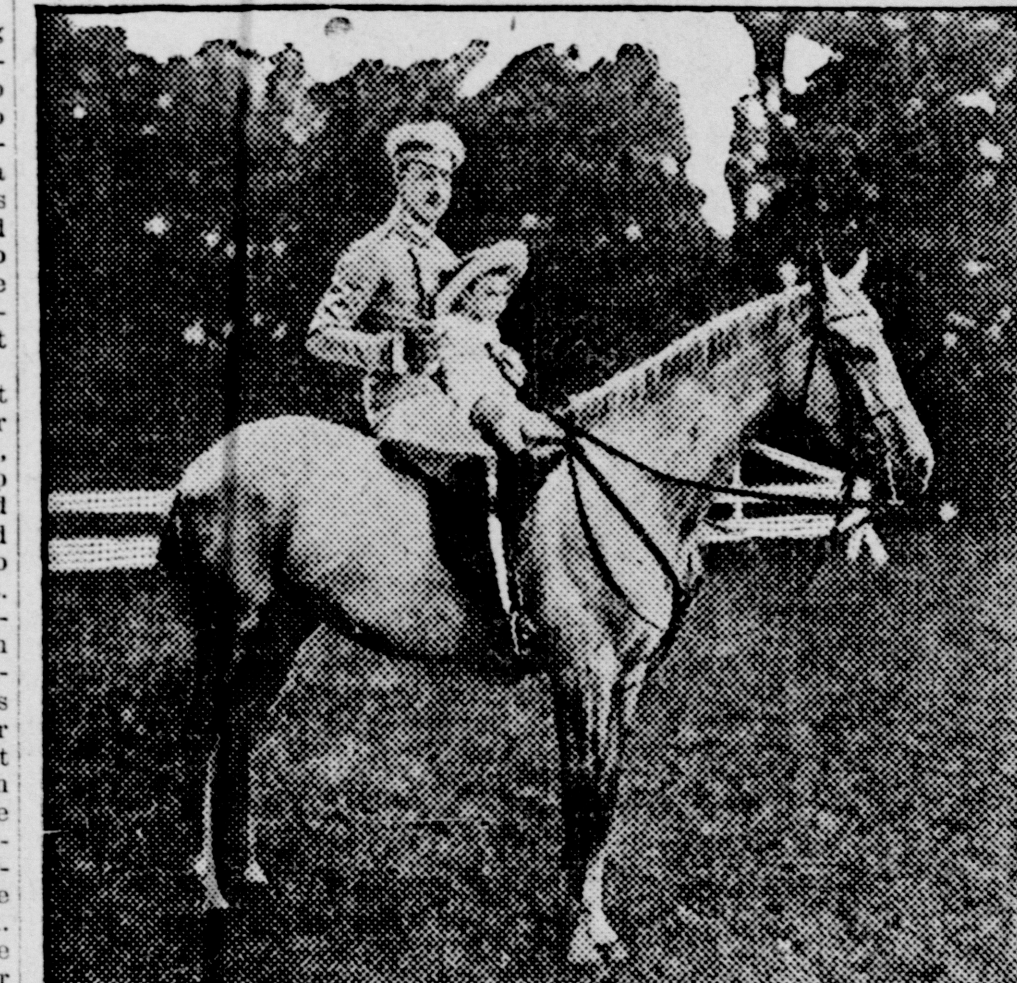
FRANK AIKEN STANDS ON RECORD

The campaign of Frank H. Aiken, his fellow citizens is treasured by register of deeds for La Crosse county, for renomination as republican candidate for that office, is progressing in a manner extremely gratifying to the candidate and his friends. As he has held the office for but one term, his renomination is expected as a matter of precedent, and when to this is added the fact that Mr. Aiken has discharged the duties of his office in a remarkably efficient manner, conducting himself as a courteous gentleman and a capable public servant, the purpose of his party to re-elect him is sustained by logic making his position almost impregnable.

Mr. Aiken has been a resident of the county since 1858, and has voted his party ticket here for 40 years. At his time in life the approval of his fellow citizens is treasured by him, and he expresses great satisfaction over the receipt of numerous letters from prominent citizens of the county endorsing his administration of the office they have entrusted to his care.

Mr. Aiken proposes to keep the recorder's office open from early morning and during the noon hour, for the accommodation of people having work to be done in a hurry. He is always present in person, devoting himself with fine enthusiasm to the public's business. In a recent interview he said:

"If the citizens of this county will take pains to inquire regarding the manner in which I have discharged the duties of this office, I will be content to abide by their verdict as to my continuance in its administration."—Adv.



TWO FUTURE GERMAN RULERS ON HORSEBACK.
The Crown Prince in Saddle and His Little Son, Prince Wilhelm

COURT AGREES IT WON'T HELP ANY

"What good will it do to railroad me to the 'pen' for stealing a bit of cheese?" asked Ed Van Dorn of Judge Brindley today when arraigned for the theft of a quantity of the dairy product from the Dittman grocery store. The judge thought a moment, and while he was engaged in thought Van Dorn solemnly promised to leave town and live in Dubuque if the court would give him his freedom. Van Dorn had been "up" before, but he did not wish Dubuque any bad luck, the jurist permitted Van Dorn to depart for a new home in Iowa.

A girl takes advantage of a golden opportunity when she bleaches her hair. Expensive fish seem to be raised in high schools.

WORKMAN FALLS 25 FEET FROM NEW "Y"

Anton Pavela, laborer, employed on the new Y. M. C. A. building, was severely bruised in a fall this afternoon about 2 o'clock. Pavela was on a scaffolding about 25 feet above the basement when it gave way, precipitating him to the ground. Other workmen rushed to his assistance, and Dr. Sulfor was hurriedly summoned. At first it was thought that he was injured internally but this was found untrue on a more careful examination. No bones were broken, fortunately, and the only injuries he received was a severe shaking up, and a number of bad bruises. He was taken to his home in the ambulance.

The reason a man wants to go fishing, no matter how much he hates it, is that people call him a sportsman to do it.

TRIBUNE WANTS

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish position, few weeks' complete, constant practice, careful instruction, tools given. Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Experienced Tinner. Badger Steel Roofing & Corrug. Co., 7th and LaX St.

WANTED—Farm hands. Can furnish living house for married man. Tel. new, 2913.

WANTED—A first class presser and bushelman. Enquire Pitzer's Dye Works.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Good girl for light housework immediately. Goetzinger's, 2100 Campbell Ave.

WANTED—Experienced sewing machine operators to make overalls and shirts. Steady work. Apply now. La Crosse Clothing Co.

WANTED—Cook at 232 So. 8th.

WANTED—Chambermaid at American House.

WANTED—Young lady about 20 to assist forelady in packing dept. Must be fair at figures. Address P. O. Box 347.

WANTED—Girl at Green Bay Hotel.

WANTED—A housekeeper or good girl for out of town. Good place for right party. References required. Address, "H," Tribune.

WANTED—Competent cook. Apply Mrs. Law, N. E. corner 4th and Cass.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. New phone, 641-M, 2023 Main.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—8 room house with barn on large lot. Also two cottages on large lot. Leaving city. 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Address, B. F. care of Tribune.

FOR SALE—\$350.00 cash gets nice corner lot about 50x150 to an alley, two blocks from car line, five minutes' walk from new normal school. Address, 777, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Set of engineering books. Complete with all the Scranton School Models, very cheap if taken at once. Apply at Tribune Office.

FOR SALE—Gas stove, 605 So. 3rd St.

FOR SALE—Farm 160 acres, improved farm, new buildings, stock, etc., 1 1/2 miles from Bangor. Running water in pasture. Inducing price and terms if taken at once. Inquire P. H. Sheldon, Bangor.

FOR SALE—Square piano and household goods. Address B, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Household furniture at 123 So. 7th.

FOR SALE—Good second hand lumber of all kinds. Enquire at old Sawyer & Austin mill site or call up A. J. Roberge, 2211 old phone.

FOR SALE—Two sets Howe platform scales. One set Buffalo platform scales; will weigh 4,000 lbs. Good as new. Otto Granke, Transfer Line, 831 Mill St.

FOR SALE—New household furniture, cheap if taken at once. 518 Ferry St.

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property, 804 Cass St.

FOR SALE—Good second hand wood furnace at 821 State St.

FOR SALE—Or rent, warehouse 50x100 foot of Vine street. Side track, near to depots. Boat landing. Center of City. Inquire Standard Oil Co.

FOR SALE—Implement and Feed Store business. With or without building and lot. No cash necessary. Address, Quinn Land & Loan Co., Quinn, S. D.

FOR SALE—Relinquishment on 160 acre homestead nine miles north of Wall, S. D. \$800.00. Quinn Land & Loan Co., Quinn, S. D.

FOR SALE—Modern 8 room frame residence, at Rockland, Wis., hard wood floors, furnace heat, 20 acres of land, near station. A bargain if taken at once. Address, Mr. J. A. Jones, Rockland, Wis.

FOR SALE—"The Free" Sewing Machines. Don't buy until you have tried it. The only machine made with the wonderful ROTOS-CHLO MOVEMENT, and 28 other up-to-date exclusive features. Second hand machines, all makes, \$3 to \$10. No machine made that we cannot repair. THE R. L. KENYON COMPANY, 610 Main Street.

FOR SALE—Reasonable, a good driving horse, 5 years old, black. Inquire Eagle Hotel.

FOR SALE—Hunting boat, cheap, 324 No. 7th.

FOR SALE—Cheap horse, rubber tired single buggy, talking machine, 420 Jackson.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. Mrs. Herman Holtz, 1220 So. 4th St.

FOR RENT—All kinds modern furnished rooms. Second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Large furnished room. New phone—588-C.

FOR RENT—5 rooms with gas range and wet zinc, 615 So. 7th St.

FOR RENT—House furnished or unfurnished. 421 So. 7th St.

FOR RENT—Two pleasant front rooms furnished, single or en-suite, 620 So. 7th.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern improvements, 721 S. 4th.

FOR RENT—Office room, 4th floor Batavian National Bank Building. Enquire Room 10.

Physician & Surgeon

DR. A. E. ERLING, specializing in the treatment of chronic ailments. Up-to-date methods. Hours 10 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m. Old phone, office, 717 Vine St.

Nothing Like It

TRY H. W. BARKER'S COUGH Remedy; it cures. Nothing like it. Ruckel's drug store.

Viavi

HOME Treatment for mothers and daughters, 105 So. 6th St. Miss Cecelia Maloney, Mgr. New phone, 624-R.

Insurance

TORNADO INSURANCE—\$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. A. Van Auken, 328 Pearl St.

Groceries

PRICES cut on everything. Stock entirely new. Birnbaum's Cash Store, 1124 Gillette St.

Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Stenographer

A COMPETENT stenographer with several years' experience, wants position. Address, S. E., Tribune.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Batavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Lost

LOST—A pair of spy glasses on the French Island, between Rice Lake and North La Crosse. Return to Tribune office. Reward.

LOST—Between Rice Lake and North La Crosse last Sunday, pair field glasses. Finder return to residence of A. Yehle, 1411 Avon St.

Miscellaneous

WANTED—Washing, inquire 1711 Adams.

WANTED—\$10.00 returned which was lost between 4th, State and Barron's store. Mangner, 1224 King St.

YOUNG man would like a position as collector. Address M, care Tribune.

WANTED—Solicitor, salary or commission; work in city preferred. Enquire Tribune.

LEGAL NOTICE. State of Wisconsin, in Circuit Court for La Crosse County.

Francis Splitter, plaintiff, vs. Fred Engler, Bertha Engler and Emil Engler, defendants.

By virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, made in the above entitled action on the nineteenth day of August, A. D. 1907, the undersigned, a referee for that purpose duly appointed, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1908, at the east front door of the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in the County of La Crosse and State of Wisconsin, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the real estate and mortgaged premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows, to-wit:

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All of said premises being in the County of La Crosse and State of Wisconsin.

A. P. PARSONS, Referee. Dated, La Crosse, Wisconsin, August 20, 1908.

Carol's grandfather had served in the civil war, and Carol liked to hear of the many battles in which he had fought. One day, after listening to the vivid recital of many heroic deeds, Carol said: "Grandfather, you went through all those battles."

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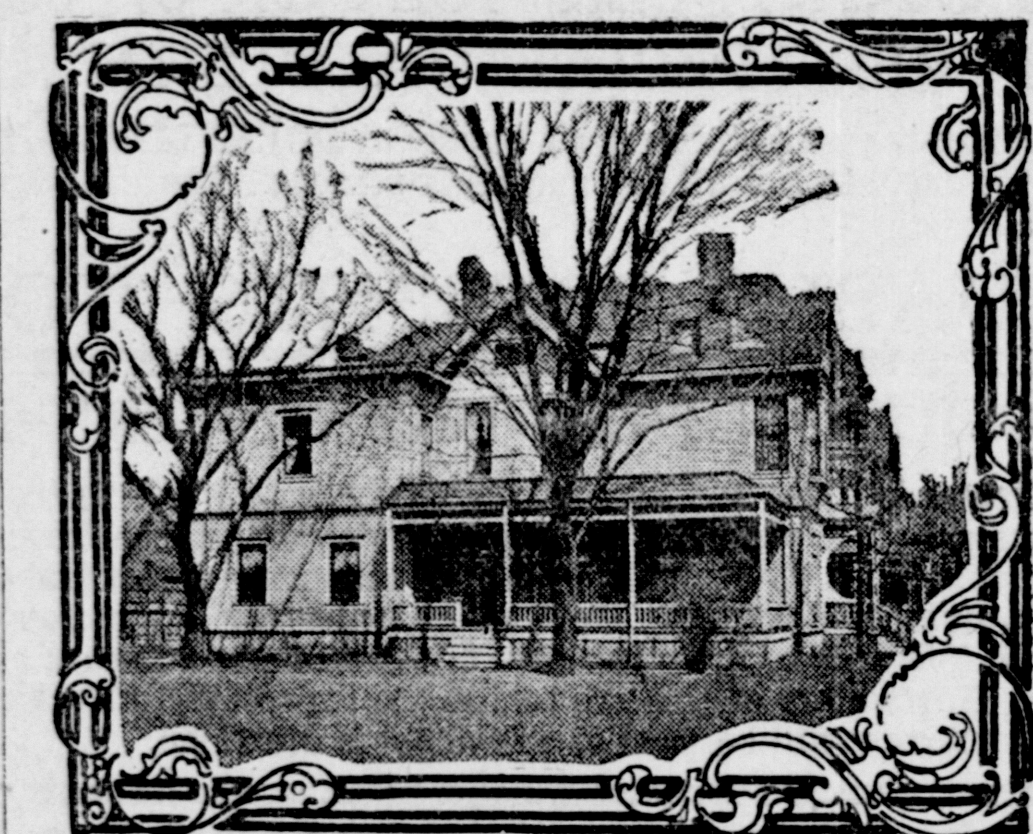
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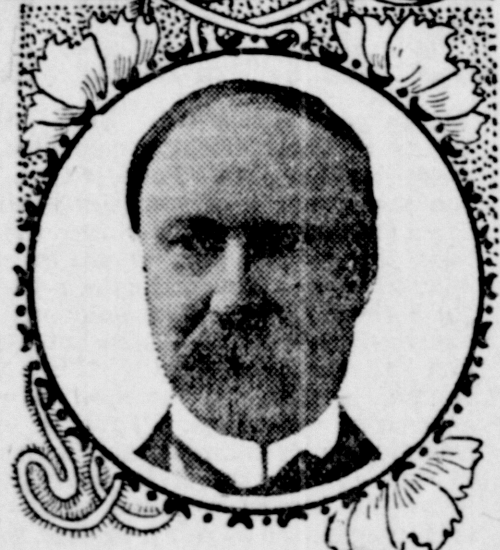
LITTLE JOURNEYS TO SUMMER HOMES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE



Charles W. Fairbanks and his home at Indianapolis.

Charles Warren Fairbank's summer home is likewise his winter home when he is away from Washington. It is his Indianapolis residence. The vice president does not maintain a country place as his variously-estimated fortune might or might not permit, and he spends most of the summer between his modest home and his modest law office in one of the older office buildings of the city.

His house is a two-story frame structure, built many years ago, and quite unpretentious as to design—of about the same sort, in fact, as that of his neighbor, John Worth Kern, who rather expects to succeed him as vice president. The grounds about the house do most to make the place attractive. The yard is of unusual width and depth, with many shade trees and shrubbery about the beautiful lawn. The Fairbanks family, when at home, spend a great part of the time on the lawn, beneath the trees. There was a time when Meridian street, on which the home fronts, was the one exclusive street of Indianapolis, but now that portion in which the property lies seems quiet and retired, while wealth and society are going farther north.



NEARBY CITIES TOWNS AND FARMS

BANGOR, WIS.

Miss Essie Pfaff visited with friends at Tomah several days this week.

The ice cream sociable given by the Catholic congregation Saturday evening was quite well attended, considering the cool weather.

Mrs. H. J. Peters was a Sparta visitor Monday.

Frank Wolfram of Oconomowoc arrived Saturday to work at the Milwaukee depot in the place of Z. Baebler, who is taking a vacation.

Mrs. Z. Baebler and daughter Crystal were La Crosse shoppers on Tuesday.

P. J. Rudy was at La Crosse on business Tuesday.

Mrs. F. A. Harrison, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Newton, for the past two weeks, departed for her home near Rhineland, Wis., Saturday.

The Royal Neighbors will give a supper and serve ice cream at the K. of P. hall Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Trepte of La Crosse visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson of Minneapolis visited with Mrs. Johnson's parents here Sunday.

Miss Irma Aylesworth, who visited at the home of W. H. Preston and family last week, returned to her home at Sparta Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Newton, who has been visiting relatives at Elroy for several weeks, returned to her home here Monday.

The merchants of Bangor are planning on having a big sale here Saturday, Aug. 29. Each merchant and business man will sell certain articles at about half its real value. It is a good idea and a good thing and should be kept up.

Z. Baebler and son Harold visited at Winona Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Sweet and son Roy left Monday for Durand, Wis., for a visit with relatives.

Miss Isabelle Evans expects to leave Sunday for Oshkosh to attend college.

Miss Effie Berkh visited with relatives at Sparta last week.

Miss Richardson of Sparta is a guest at the home of Roy Bowen and family.

Miss Cora Abrahams of Sparta visited with her sister, Mrs. P. H. Sheldon, here over Sunday.

G. C. Groezinger visited several days this week at Madison.

Mrs. D. A. Taylor, who has been visiting her parents at Stevens Point for the past three weeks, returned home this week.

Miss Mollie Merlo will leave Friday for Tama, Iowa, where she has a position as instructor in music and drawing in the schools there.

Mrs. S. S. Wolffsohn and son of Milwaukee were the guests of Mrs. E. A. Lewis this week.

Muriel Reckord returned home on Thursday from a short visit with relatives at Norwalk.

J. E. Beckler left Thursday for Fort Pierre, S. D., where he expects to remain for about a year.

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Miss Bertha Fladager is home on vacation after attending the Winona normal school.

Thrashing is in full blast at present. The yield per acre is far better than last year and weather conditions very favorable.

Mrs. John Devlin and Mrs. L. C. Boyle will entertain the sewing circle at the Congregational church parlors, Wednesday, Sept. 7. Gentlemen are cordially invited for refreshments.

Mr. J. W. Lucas is in Chicago this week buying his Christmas stock of jewelry.

Miss Kathryn Martin is assisting in Lindemann's dry good department this week.

Miss Kathryn Joyce entertained a number of young ladies at a canned fruit shower in honor of the Misses Barbara Munson and Stella Nuzum, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson and children returned to their home at Storey City, Iowa, Thursday, after a month's visit with Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Jacobson.

Miss Welma Larson entertained a party of ladies at her summer house Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Espeseth entertained the United Lutheran Aid society Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Dinsdale of Galena, Ill., are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Twining were up from Gay's Mills, Thursday.

Little Mary was playing with her pet kitten. The kitten scratched her, and she exclaimed, "You is a darned old kitty!" Her mother told her she must never utter such a naughty word again; and to be sure to impress it on her mind washed her mouth out with soap and water. The next day Mary was again playing with the kitten, and again trouble arose, when she was heard to remark: "You is just the same kind of a kitten you was yesterday!"—De-lin-eator.

When a man loses money he believes it's because he's unlucky; when he wins it's because he's so smart.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL BUILDING, ONALASKA, WISCONSIN.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that sealed proposals for the erection and completion of a solid brick and stone Agricultural School Building, including all labor and material, except Heating and Plumbing, will be received by the County School Board in the City of La Crosse, Wisconsin, until the hour of 2 p. m. on the 3rd day of September, 1908.

All bids must be in strict accordance with the plans and revised specifications prepared by Parkinson & Dockendorff, Architects, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, which may be had on application to the Architects.

Plans may also be seen at the Office of the County Clerk, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

A certified check for two (2%) per cent of the amount of bid, payable to the order of the County School Board, must accompany each bid as a guaranty, the same to be returned to unsuccessful bidders immediately on the letting of the Contract. The party to whom the contract is awarded will be required to give a satisfactory bond of fifty (50%) per cent of the amount of the contract for the faithful performance of the contract.

It is the intention of the Board to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, but the right to accept any or reject any or all proposals is reserved.

(Signed) J. L. PETTINGILL, F. L. BOLLES, B. F. OLTMAN, County School Board.

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DAILY MARKETS

MELONS DOWN TO TWENTY CENTS

FREESTONE PEACHES AT \$1.00 AND CLINGSTONES 95 CENTS

VARIOUS BRANDS ON MARKET

Cucumbers are Off the Market Today and Apples Sell at 20 to 40 Cents Per Peck

A number of changes are reported today in the fruit and vegetable markets, although other prices remain stationary. Freestone peaches in four varieties are on the market at \$1.00 per box and clingstones are also on the market in various varieties at 95 cents. Tokay grapes are on the market at 15 cents per pound and tomatoes are bringing 25 cents per basket. Apples have advanced to 20 and 40 cents per peck.

WHOLESALE FRUITS

(Quoted by J. C. Burns)

Apples, new, bu. 60¢ to 75¢
Crabs, bu. 80¢ to \$1.00
Lemons, 360 size box \$5.50
Lemons, 300 size box \$6.00
Cabbage, per crate \$1.75
Cocoanuts, per crate \$4.50
Cocoanuts, per 100 \$4.50
Plums \$1.40 to 1.75
New potatoes, bushel 70¢
New carrots 50¢ to \$1.50
Peaches, Elbertas, box \$1.00
Peaches, Susquehanna, box \$1.00
Peaches, white freestone, bix 1.00
Peaches, yellow \$1.00
Peaches, late Crawford \$1.00
Peaches, Albright, clingstone, box95¢
Peaches, McDeBitt, clingstone, box95¢
Peaches, yellow, clingstone, bix95¢
Tokay grapes, crate \$2.50
Bartlett pears, per box \$2.50 to \$2.50
California lemons 240 box \$5.00
Lemona brand, 360 box \$5.50
Oranges, Valencia, 150, 175, per box \$4.75
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Oranges, 200, 216, box \$4.90
Bananas, medium bunch \$1.50 to 1.75
Watermelons20¢
Celery, Michigan, 10 doz case \$1.50
Plums, Wisconsin, crate \$1.50
Plums, Kelsey Japan, crate \$1.50
Plums, Giant, crate \$1.25
Prunes, German & Gross, crate \$1.50 to 1.75
Sweet potatoes \$3.25

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)
Patent (per bbl. in sacks) \$6.00
Straight, per bbl. in sacks \$5.80

Mill Feed

Brn, per ton \$22.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)
Shorts, per ton \$23.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)
White middlings, per ton \$24.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)
Red Dog, per ton \$26.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)

Cheese

OFFICIALS MIXED IN PERJURY CASE

CITY ADMINISTRATION WILL BE
TRIED AT WAUKESHA

BUCKLEY'S TRIAL IMPORTANT

Claimed That He Gave False Evi-
dence in Important Circuit
Court Suit

WAUKESHA, Wis., Aug. 28.—A complaint was filed in the circuit court charging P. J. Buckley of this city with perjury. Judge Lueck issued a warrant for Buckley's arrest, which was served on him and he gave \$500 bail for his appearance on Sept. 17.

The matter is of long standing. Buckley was arrested on a perjury charge in December, 1906, on complaint of Howard Van Wyck of Milwaukee, and at his preliminary examination in the municipal court he was bound over for trial.

Was in Perjury Case. It was alleged that Buckley gave false testimony in the circuit court in the case of J. F. Cochrane of Milwaukee against the Milwaukee road, which resulted in the dismissal of the case.

When the case against Buckley was called before Judge Tullar at the regular term of the municipal court it was continued over the term, the court stating that it was not his purpose to try the criminal case until the civil case in which the same matter was involved was disposed of, it having been intimated that an attempt was being made to use the district attorney's office as a collection agency.

Nolled the Charge.

When C. E. Armin became municipal judge the case was still on the calendar and when it was called for trial the circumstances were practically the same, the civil case not having been disposed of. District Attorney Muckleston then nolleed the case, acting on the advice of his predecessor in office, D. W. Agnew, and stating in court that he had been unable to get the complaining witness to his office or to get a satisfactory statement from him, and that he did not believe a conviction could be secured.

H. K. Curtis, a partner of Howard Van Wyck, then made complaint to the attorney general and a petition was filed asking for the removal of District Attorney Muckleston from office. A hearing was held before Gov. Davidson and the petition was denied by the governor. E. T. Fairchild was appointed as a disinterested attorney to investigate and see whether justice had been done. District Attorney Muckleston's position in the matter was sustained by a large number of members of the local bar, former district attorneys and judges whose affidavits were presented at the hearing.

Try Whole Administration.

Yesterday T. E. Ryan, counsel for Buckley, stated that they were liable "to try the entire administration" before they were through and questioned the authority of Attorney Fairchild to appear for the state in the matter, and called upon him to produce his credentials when the case comes up in September.

GIRL ATTEMPTS TO CAPTURE A BURGLAR

RACINE, Wis., Aug. 27.—A burglar entered the residence of D. J. Moxey and after stealing two gold watches, a Masonic emblem and \$660 made his escape, but not before he had awakened Miss Edith Moxey whose screams aroused the occupants of the house.

The burglar had entered Miss Moxey's room and in an attempt to reach under the pillow in search of valuables or money struck the young woman on the face and awakened her.

She attempted to seize the burglar and then began to scream, but before her parents or brother could reach the room the burglar escaped.

MANUFACTURING PLANT BURNS

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 28.—Fire destroyed a big part of the plant of the Lindemann and Hoverson company, Second and Russell streets.

The shipping department of the plant was completely destroyed, while the remainder of the manufacturing institution was threatened. Three alarms were turned in, and Chief Clancy later turned in a special alarm.

It was reported that the fire was of an incendiary nature following alleged trouble with labor unions. The fire department has been called to the plant several times.

The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

A real nice man is one who is as polite to a girl of fifty-seven as to one of seventeen.



EUGENE V. DEBS

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 27.—None of the presidential candidates in the present campaign has more pronounced or advanced views on current affairs than Eugene V. Debs, who heads the socialist ticket. Speaking of socialism as an antidote for prevailing public problems, Mr. Debs offers what he considers a constructive socialist policy.

"It is generally admitted that something is wrong," said Mr. Debs yesterday.

"The depression in industry, the millions of unemployed, the unequal distribution of wealth, the discontent that prevails and the frequent labor troubles are a few evidences of this fact, which will hardly be denied by anyone.

Labor Troubles Inherent

"Socialism holds that these troubles are inherent in the very system under which industry is now conducted, and can never be eradicated until that system is overthrown and another substituted in its place. Even Mr. Bryan admits that there can be no real remedy under the present order, for he said in Everybody's for July: 'The government isn't strong enough to govern trusts.'

The remedy must be found in an approach to equity." Even Mr. Taft admits that there can be no real and effective remedy under the present order, for he recently said in an interview at Hot Springs Va.: 'There is no absolute remedy.'

"There can be no real remedy under the present order, because:

"1. Industry is monopolized in nature being ruled by the owners of the machine, and the workers are dependent on others for their jobs, and the means of livelihood.

"2. Industry is now run for profits, and the capitalists of industry are interested in getting out of it all they can, while the interest of the workers is opposed to this, in cutting down profits and increasing wages. Out of this condition grows inevitably a class struggle, which is inherent in the system and can never be ended until the system is ended.

"3. In order to keep wages to the point where profit taking will be possible, it is necessary to have an army of unemployed at all times.

"4. Because of the power of machinery to produce in quantities, and the inability of the people who pay a profit to buy all that can be produced, there come times when so-called 'over production' really under-consumption compels an easing up of production and a period of depression. It is for this reason that the periodical panic is inevitable under capitalist production.

"But socialism has a full, complete and definite remedy for prevailing public troubles. It consists in overthrowing the capitalist system of production for profit and substituting co-operative production for use. It means to overthrow monarchy in industry and establish instead democracy in industry.

"This would at once eliminate the entire profit system and the enormous amount of waste that prevails under industrial monarchy and tyranny. It would make the people owners of the machinery of production and distribution, and thus make them industrially free, because if the workers owned the tools of production and had access to the resources of nature, they could employ themselves and be their own bosses. If they owned the tools of production and distribution which now include immense and costly machinery, they would get their full product, which would give all workers abundance, and there would be no over production, because the workers, getting all they produced, would be able to use all they produced; hence, panics would be at an end.

"There is abundant raw material, there are plenty of men able and willing to work, there are millions who would like to have all the good things that could be produced. The trouble is that individual control of industry, through the ownership of the tools of production and distribution, separates the many from the opportunity to produce what they desire and need.

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QUICK, SATISFACTORY SERVICE FOR SATURDAY'S END-OF-THE-WEEK SHOPPERS: SPECIAL VALUES IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

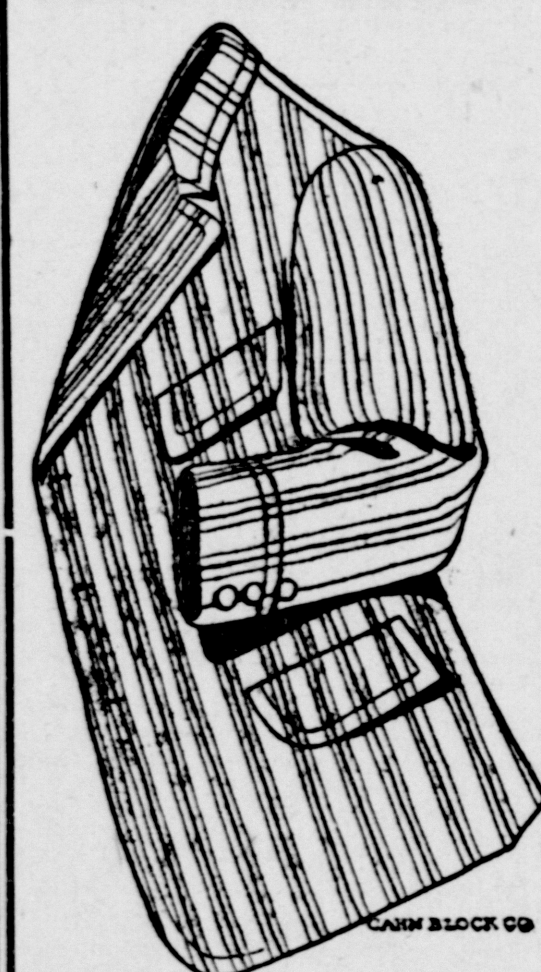
Bargains that are signally attractive await tomorrow's buyers at DOERFLINGER'S. We print a few only that must serve as examples for many omitted because lots are too small to last all day and other reasons. The wind-up of the "RUMMAGE SALE"—a grand finale to the Summer selling for 1908. Read:

FREE! VALUABLE PRESENTS TO BE GIVEN AWAY!

A NUMBERED COUPON FREE WITH EVERY PURCHASE ON SATURDAY:

Next week the Doerflinger Store celebrates its 27th Birthday Anniversary. With characteristic liberality it proposes to commemorate the event by giving away, absolutely FREE, valuable presents each day during the coming week. The hundreds of articles to be given are being shown in the big corner windows at 4th and Main Sts. Commencing tomorrow, SATURDAY, we shall give, with every 10c purchase made anywhere in the store, a numbered coupon. On Monday and every day next week we shall hold drawings—seven on Monday and the same number on Saturday, five each of the other days of the week, and at each of these drawings a valuable present will be given the holder of the number drawn. Particulars of this are told in the big weekly bills circulated about the city tomorrow, and in the Sunday papers. Coupons given out tomorrow will be good at any of these drawings.

THE STORY IS IN THE LINES! SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY!



In the genteel finished lines that Doerflinger Ready to Wear clothing competes with its custom-made brother. It's "The Fit that Wears" that tells the story, not how you look before a mirror when the salesman smooths down the shoulders, but how you go swinging along, or sit at your luncheon, or wedge yourself into a barricade of pillows for a short siesta or an hour with the news. It's the lines that count—"The Fit that Wears"—the cut, and the hang of the thing. The reason, of course, is that the "insides" are right; but that is a story you know. That is the story of the Doerflinger standard! And it applies to the fabric as well. As for the style, the pattern and the variety—it's almost needless to say that a store of this magnitude is going to omit nothing that is desirable.

Your Suit for Fall is Here—Mr. Man!
In all the leading colors, latest goods and standard makes.

Prices from \$10 to \$25

And it is such a satisfaction to know that what you get is right. It does not pay to run a useless risk.

Boys' School Suits

Boys' nobby School Suits in knickerbocker style, and all the most favored colorings and swell mix-and-taped, with all that is best in linings. We offer for Saturday a special

Other special values from \$3.50 to \$8.00.

Boys' School Suits at \$1.98

Boys' School Suits in plain black, brown, all grey mixtures, seams all taped, a nobby well made suit in ages from 7 to 16 years, special at

Other special values in these suits from \$2.50 to \$4.98.

Boys' Fall Top Coats

Just the needed coat for cool evenings; in a range of neat stylish colorings, including plain and fancy effects, embracing the stylish striped patterns so much favored for fall wear, in all sizes from 2½ to 10 years. Prices at from

\$2.98 to \$6.50

In the Big Ready-to-Wear Section:

Ladies' \$7.98 Washable Suits at \$3.98

Second Floor

Your choice among 20 white, colored and striped linens, and duck "Prince Chap" coat suits. Best models of the season, and marked to sell up to \$7.98, your choice Saturday \$3.98

Girls' Washable Dresses—HALF PRICE!

Your choice among all of our Washable Dresses for girls, ranging in size from 4 years to 14 years, including all our white confirmation dresses—Saturday at HALF the plain marked selling price.

Ladies' Drawers—Big Value at 25c

Just received and placed on sale another shipment of ladies' umbrella drawers with wide cambric flounce. This is undoubtedly the best value we ever offered, and like the previous lot, will be quickly sold at 25c

Hundreds of New Arrivals in Ladies' Tailored Gowns.

Embroidered Heatherbloom Petticoats, and

New Fall Waists—All Modestly Priced.



DOUBLE DEMONSTRATION TOMORROW:

Ladies will flock around the lady demonstrator's table tomorrow to "be shown" those "Gem Patterns"—made from cloth, with but two seams to be sewed, a clever trio combined in one pattern—Shirt-waist, Corset Cover and Dressing Sacque, all for 25c. Also the "Gem" hair waver, four set for 10c; 12 for 25c. The cleverest curler on the market for dressing milady's hair. Demonstration in Center Aisle, Main floor.

SATURDAY GROCERY SPECIALS IN THE "PURE FOOD BASEMENT GROCERY":

SUGAR—Granulated, 10 lbs. for	50c	DATES—Sair, while the lot lasts, at per lb.	5c
With a 50c order of tea or coffee.		UNEDA BISCUIT—two packages for	9c
COFFEE—Caraja brand, a strictly high grade coffee, in one lb. cans at	25c	MacLaren's Roquefort Cheese—medium sized jar	15c
TEA—Tittle's India and Ceylon, 60c value at	50c	MUSTARD—Park brand, 26 oz. jar for	11c
GOLD DUST—Washing powder, 4 lb. pkg. for	19c	VANILLA—Park brand, guaranteed pure, 4 oz. bottle for	23c
GELATINE—Knox brand, 15c pkg. for	12c	"E-C CORN FLAKES"—Special Saturday at	8c
JELLY CON—Assorted flavors, two regular 10c packages for	15c	OLIVES—Large Queen, per quart	35c
TAPIOCA—Fancy Pearl, two lbs. for	15c	GINGER SNAPS—Fresh baked, two lbs. for	15c
OLIVE OIL—Pure Italian, 1 qt. can for	75c	PRETZELS—Strictly fresh, per lb.	9c
COFFEE—White House, two lb. can for	70c	PARAFFINE WAX—per cake	9c
GINGER—Richard's crystallized, per tin	23c	VINEGAR—Pure white wine, per gallon	15c
WALNUTS—Fresh shelled, per lb.	35c	PICKLING SPICES—Best mixed, per lb.	15c
ALMONDS—Jordan fancy large, per lb.	60c		

Salted peanuts, ½ lb. for	5c	7 "Fan Ross" cigars for	25c
Maxwell's face cream, 50c jar for	39c	Merrick's best 6 cord thread, for	4c

SATURDAY SHOE BARGAINS



First Floor

Women's tan oxfords, plain toes, and tips, extension and light weight soles, and light and dark tans, sold up to \$4.00, at \$2.45

Misses' and children's shoes, good extension soles, and patent tips, all sizes at per pair \$1.00

Rocky Mountain Tea, 35c pkgs. for 25c

All linen fringed lunch clothes, size 32x32, at 21c

Maxwell's face powder, 50c box for 39c

CLEARANCE SALE OF CANVAS COTS

3rd Floor.

We shall offer on Saturday about 500 Canvas Cots, bought at a big reduction from a Grand Rapids, Mich., Factory. Our original purchase of these cots was made for the Saengerfest Committee, and amounted to over 2,000 cots. We shall close out the remaining lot tomorrow at less than ½ their original cost, viz: 50c

Packer's tar soap, 25c cake for 19c

"LAST CALL" WITH THE SUMMER WASH STUFFS

DRESS GOODS SECTION

1st. Floor.

One small lot of wash goods, regular value 15 and 19c, to close Saturday at 6c

One small lot of striped piques, regular 25c value, Saturday to close at 15c

One small lot of white dotted swiss, regular 20 and 25c values, to close Saturday at 12c

One small lot of 36 inch all linen dress goods: Pink and White, Blue and White, and Tan and White, regular 50c values Saturday to close at 22c

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Get the Youngsters Ready for School

School opens Tuesday. Get the children's "tools" all ready for 'em to start in earnest with their fall term studies. We open tomorrow special sale of SCHOOL SUPPLIES in the basement.

7x9 school slates 3c
5 flag slate pencils for 1c
5 good school pens for 1c
"Beats All" lead pencils 1c
7 colored crayons for 1c
Ink and pencil erasers 1c
48 page pencil tablet 1c
128 page pencil tablet 2½c
48 page composition books 2½c
6 inch penholder and pen for 1c

A full and complete line of school supplies at bargain prices.

A QUARTETTE OF SAVINGS IN THE "BASEMENT ECONOMY" SECTION.

Lonsdale cambric, per yard 10c
Glove cleaner, a 50c bottle, for 10c
A hand loom for making Indian bead work 10c
Men's "Arrow Brand" Linen collars, regular 15c values, for 5c

FOODS THE CAUSE; FOODS THE CURE

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A great deal of attention is being attracted in New York city and elsewhere by the methods and theories of Mr. Eugene Christian, 7 East Forty-first street, the well known food expert, who says that "man is physically what he eats." Mr. Christian maintains, and produces facts and figures to substantiate his claims, that 90 percent of all diseases are due to errors in eating. He has attracted attention by his logical theories, and by his successful practice of food science, demonstrating that disease can be cured by natural foods, properly selected, combined and proportioned. Food science has proven that

many so-called "incurable" cases yield readily to proper dietetic and hygienic treatment. They have been classed as "incurable" simply because the "drugging methods" did not remove the cause, and, in a good many cases, set up worse conditions than those for which they were taken. In New York alone hundreds of cases abandoned by the drug doctors have found almost miraculous relief by Christian's system of scientific feeding. Such has been the success of this new form of eliminating disease that men of prominence and organizations of advanced thinkers are taking up a study of the work of Mr. Christian, approving, generally, its application in the cure of disease instead of poisonous drugs and medicines.

Discussing the manner in which

foods cause disease Mr. Christian says: "When one thinks of poison we are apt to think of strychnine or carbolic acid, but these are not the kinds of poisons that cause most of the deaths in the world. Meats from diseased animals, ptomaines, decayed food, formaldehyde in preserved milk and other poisons used by criminal manufacturers to preserve or color food, cause more deaths than strychnine, arsenic or acid. The United States government, recognizing this fact, established the pure food law to prevent this needless waste of life.

"It is estimated by the best authorities in both Europe and America," continues Mr. Christian, "that over 90 per cent of all human ills have their origin in the stomach and intestines, and are caused directly

by incorrect eating and drinking."

Mr. Christian deplors the fact that most of food-poisoned humanity seek to remove poisons generated in the body by taking other poisons called drugs. The theory of drug curing, he says, rests upon ignorance as to the cause of physical disorders. Food science, he declares, proclaims the cause of disease and cures by removing that cause.

"Disease is an abnormal condition of the human body," says Mr. Christian, "which results from poisons. These poisons are formed from taking food in wrong quantities, proportions and combinations. Therefore the only way to cure disease is to remove its cause by eating natural foods in such combinations as will give the body every element of nourishment it requires in the right

proportions." Millions of people, he says, know these facts, but instead of correcting the cause, they "take something," almost as a religion. "As a matter of fact," Christian maintains, "a drug that could cure a disorder caused by wrong eating, would perform a miracle. It would reverse a fixed law of nature by producing an effect without a cause."

So logical are the methods of Mr. Christian, and so successful has he been in the curing of seemingly incurable diseases, by simply instructing people how to live, that he is receiving hundreds of letters from all parts of the country asking about his methods.

Some give according to their means; some according to their meanness.—Lippincott's.

SAVE MOMEY!

For the next 30 days I will make the following low prices on your Dental work:
The best 22k gold crown \$5.00
The best porcelain crown \$5.00
Gold fillings \$1.50 and on
Gold and platinum filling \$1.00
Porcelain fillings \$1.00
The best upper or lower set of teeth \$10.00

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All work is done WITHOUT PAIN by my own original method, which I have been using for the past 15 years. All work is guaranteed for 10 years.

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